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INVASION OF GERMANY DECIDED ON BY ALLIES

HARDING AND WILSON ON WAY TO INAUGURATION

This picture shows President Wilson and President-elect Harding on their way from the White House to the capitol, where Wilson transacted the closing business of his second term as president and Harding was inaugurated as his successor. With Wilson and Harding rode Congressman Cannon and (at the extreme right of the picture) Senator Knox.

LIMERICK MAYOR KILLED AT HOME EX-MAYOR SHOT

Family Afraid to Go for Help Because of Curfew Restrictions

SHOOTING BELIEVED REPRISAL FOR DEATH OF CROWN OFFICER

Victims Reported Shot While Lying on Their Beds

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press.—George Clancy, mayor of Limerick, was shot and killed at his home in that city early Monday morning, and his wife was seriously wounded. About the same time Michael O'Callaghan, former mayor of the city, was also killed at his residence.

Meager reports received here state that Mayor Clancy and his wife were shot at about 1:30 o'clock, but owing to curfew restrictions, members of the household were afraid to venture on the streets to secure aid and friends with whom they communicated by telephone could not go to the house for the same reason.

About two hours later a doctor arrived from a hospital and found Mayor Clancy dead and Mrs. Clancy in a critical condition. Former Mayor O'Callaghan was dying when doctors summoned by the police arrived at the house.

Shot in Beds

BELFAST, Ireland.—Bands of men shot George Clancy, mayor of Limerick, and Michael O'Callaghan, a former mayor of that city, in cold blood while they were lying in their beds. Mrs. Clancy, while endeavoring to protect her husband, was shot in one of her arms.

Limerick is intensely excited over the shootings, which are popularly interpreted as reprisals for the assassination of Brigadier General Cummins, who was killed at Clonbanin on Saturday.

THE WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Rain or snow tonight. Tuesday snow and colder.

For Wisconsin—Rain or snow tonight and Tuesday. Colder Tuesday and in northwest portion tonight.

Stage of water at La Crosse 2.0, stationary; St. Paul 2.0, stationary.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURE

6 a. m.	21	10 a. m.	31
7 a. m.	21	11 a. m.	32
8 a. m.	21	12 m.	33
9 a. m.	21	1 p. m.	35

NATION-WIDE RECORD

	Highest yesterday	Lowest last night	Prec.
Boston	48	32	.02
Chicago	34	28	.02
Denver	34	28	.58
Kansas City	38	36	.04
La Crosse	31	26	..
Madison	32	20	..
Milwaukee	34	28	..
New York	44	34	..
New Orleans	62	52	..
San Francisco	48	38	.04
Minneapolis	30	14	..
Washington	38	26	..

RAIL LABOR BOARD RULES IN FAVOR OF WORKERS IN ERIE ROAD WAGE DISPUTE

NOMINATION OF FLETCHER O. K.'D BY U. S. SENATE

Pennsylvania Man is New Assistant in Department of State

WASHINGTON—The senate Monday confirmed a large number of nominations sent to it by President Harding. They included Henry P. Fletcher of Pennsylvania to be undersecretary of state.

Also in the list were the names of Major General John A. Lejeune, reappointed commandant of the marine corps, and Brig.-Gen. George Barnett, former comandant of the corps, to have the permanent ranks of major general.

The nominations of Col. Theodore Roosevelt of New York to be assistant secretary of the navy, and E. D. Ball of Iowa, reappointed assistant secretary of agriculture, were referred to the naval and agricultural committees and will be acted upon later.

The Colombian treaty was reported formally to the senate today by the foreign relations committee, but without announcement as to plans for its consideration.

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CONEY ATTEMPTS TO LOWER OWN RECORD IN RETURN FLIGHT

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Lieut. Coney, 191st air squadron, U. S. A., has announced that he would begin his transcontinental flight from the Atlantic to the Pacific from Pablo Beach at midnight Tuesday. Coney will endeavor to lower his record of twenty-two hours and twenty-seven minutes flying time, established on his recent flight here from San Diego. He plans to stop only at Dallas, Texas.

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COAL COMPANY CUT BIG MELON

NEW YORK. — The Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal company Monday declared a special cash dividend of 150 per cent on its $9,210,000 stock outstanding.

Of this dividend, amounting to $13,815,000, the Central Railroad of New Jersey, gets $12,734,000 on the stock which it owns.

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IGNORED ORDER TO RESTORE WAGES TO FORMER SCHEDULE

Decision Declares Road Violated Former Ruling in Cutting Wages of Employes

CHICAGO, Ill.—Failure of the railroad labor board to penalize the Erie railroad after ruling in a decision handed down Monday that the road had violated previous board rulings, brought a statement from Judge R. M. Barton, chairman, that the board is purely a mediation body with no power to enforce decisions.

CHICAGO, Ill.—The railway labor board handed down a decision ruling that the Erie railroad had violated previous board rulings in six respects, particularly in reducing the wages of employes and in failing to cancel these reductions when ordered to do so by the board. The road had contended that the board must hold a hearing before ordering restoration of previous rates of pay.

The railroad ordered a 27 percent reduction in the pay of trackmen, effective February 1 and later ignored the board's order to restore wages to the rates ordered in the board's decision of July 1920.

Victory for Men

The decision was regarded as a clean-cut victory for the employes in labor circles, the board upholding labor's contention of violation of decision No. 2, the wage award, by the Erie in every instance.

The position of the board regarding inability to pay the wages ordered which has been the chief bone of contention in several recent cases, was clearly set forth in the decision.

"It is the judgment of this board," the decision says, "that no carrier may, without violating the spirit and letter of decision number two, in case its revenue for any month should be estimated to be insufficient to meet its expenses for labor and material for that month, arbitrarily appropriate to itself wages due its employes in such amount as to make expenses for labor and material equal or exceed revenues for that month.

Points Out Proper Method

"There is a simple, orderly and legal method open to all carriers to secure appropriate relief in case they are of the opinion that the wages fixed by decision number two are not just and reasonable. If, after failure of conference with employes to decide a dispute, the carrier is able to show that the wages fixed by decision number two are not now just and reasonable this board will as its duty

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MILWAUKEE LEADER LOSES IN FIGHT FOR MAILING PRIVILEGES

U. S. Supreme Court Upholds Decision of Lower Court to Bar Newspaper

SECOND-CLASS MAIL RIGHTS WITHDRAWN DURING THE WAR

Paper Charged With Publishing Articles Injurious to U. S.

WASHINGTON.—Refusal of lower courts to issue a mandamus requiring Postmaster General Burleson to restore the second class mailing privilege of the Milwaukee Leader, Victor Berger's newspaper, was sustained Monday by the supreme court.

The second-class mailing privileges of the Leader were withdrawn by Mr. Burleson in 1917 on the ground that articles published by it regarding the purposes of the United States in entering the war were calculated to interfere with the military operations and were in violation of the espionage act.

The District of Columbia supreme court dismissed the suit brought by the Leader.

The opinion cited numerous excerpts from articles submitted by the government as showing the Leader's anti-American policy and the court condemned these in measured terms as "false" and tending to "disloyalty."

The case was brought on the apparent theory, the court said, that this government "competent to fight a foreign enemy" is helpless to fight an "insidious enemy at home." The opinion of the court was delivered by Associate Justice Clark. Justice Brandeis delivered a dissenting opinion.

The question is not one of a war power or statute or of a fact incident to war, Mr. Brandeis said, but is only whether the postmaster general had the powers he exercised. Neither the act establishing the postal service nor any other of the basic statutes mentioned any such condition as that imposed by Mr. Burleson, Mr. Brandeis said.

The case was declared by counsel for the Leader to be "more important than was the Dred Scott case or any question heretofore raised concerning the destiny of democracy in America." Publishers of the New York Call, which also was denied the second-class mailing privilege during the war, joined in the appeal.

The power to give the permit carried with it the power to withdraw, the court said, and the latter policy "has been repeatedly upheld."

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REJECTION OF TERMS BRINGS MILITARY MOVE

Penalties to be Imposed Mean Occupation of Industrial Area in the Ruhr Valley

NEW OFFER MADE BY SIMONS AT THE MORNING SESSION

Rejects Paris Proposals and Stands Firm on Former Proposition Made by Germany

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—Allied troops will march into Germany Tuesday in accordance with the decision of the allies to inflict on Germany the penalties provided for because of the non-fulfillment of her reparations obligations, it was announced officially Monday evening.

After the Germans left the conference late in the afternoon the British, French and Belgian premiers telegraphed orders for the immediate occupation by the allied troops of Ruhrort, Duisburg, and Duesseldorf.

The German delegation will return to Germany Tuesday. Its members said after the conference that they were not empowered to make any further proposals, and that they regretted the possibility that the allied troops were already marching upon Germany.

LONDON.—(By the Associated Press.)—Application of the penalties on Germany for non-fulfillment of her reparations requirements was decided upon by the allies here Monday afternoon.

The penalties in question were announced to the Germans last Thursday by Mr. Lloyd George, the British prime minister. They are:

Occupation of the cities of Duisberg, Duesseldorf and Ruhrort, in the German industrial area beyond the Rhine, by troops of the allies.

Imposition by each allied country of such a tax upon German imports as it may deem fitting.

The establishment of a customs boundary under allied control along the Rhine.

British premier said he must announce on behalf of the allies, a failure to come to even an approximate understanding with the Germans.

"Until we get proposals from Germany which mean a permanent settlement, there can be no peace," he declared.

Cannot Postpone Action

Mr. Lloyd George informed the Germans that not only were the proposals made by Foreign Minister Simons Monday morning unacceptable to the allies, but that notwithstanding the interval since last week's conference the Germans had not made such an advance in their propositions as would justify postponement of the imposition of the penalties.

Adjournment is Taken

The conference between the heads of the allied governments and representatives of the German government which began at noon for discussion of the reparations question, took an adjournment at 1:30 o'clock until 4:30 p. m.

The session apparently had not been a satisfactory one and there were reports before the adjournment that an attempt at an agreement had failed, and that the Germans would be informed that the stipulated penalties would be applied.

New proposals which, it was stated in French quarters, were unacceptable, were submitted to the supreme allied council before the reparations conference opened the meeting.

Reject Paris Proposals

Dr. Walter Simons, head of the German delegation, told the allies the Germans rejected the proposals formulated at Paris and had decided to revert to the idea of a provisional arrangement that they had prepared. This would call for the payment of fixed annuities for the first five years and would give the equivalent of the 12 per cent tax on German exports.

M. Laurent, French ambassador to Berlin, declared there was little doubt there would be a rupture of the negotiations at the late afternoon sitting of the conference.

At this sitting it was announced Mr. Lloyd George would reply to Dr. Simons, who presented new German proposals at the early session.

Premier Briand of France indicated

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REVOLUTION IS GAINING HEADWAY IN PETROGRAD CITY REPORTED BURNING

Lenine and Trotzky Preparing to Flee City Says Paris Dispatch; Situation Regarded as Extremely Serious for Soviet Government

PARIS.—Late dispatches from various sources confirm reports that the soviet government of Russia is facing a situation of extreme gravity and is struggling against a veritable revolutionary movement.

Petrograd in Flames

LONDON.—The Central News correspondent at Helsingfors reports receipt of news of the most serious character from Petrograd since midnight.

The advices said many of the residential and business quarters were in flames.

The soviet government, the message continued, was dispatching a large number of troops from Moscow to Petrograd to assist in restoring order. The Petrograd rebels, it was added, were planning to extend to these troops a friendly reception in the hope of winning them over.

A soviet wireless message received from Moscow says:

"The leaders of the Petrograd uprising are Petrichenko, Yakavlenk and Savchenko, father of Serge Savchenko; Captain Vladimir Burtseff, engineer Oryeskin, and a former clergyman, Putilin. Although General Kozlovski has been reckoned the official head, he is in no way the principal leader of the movement. The general's two brothers were arrested in the marine school in Petrograd."

Send Warships to Petrograd

PARIS.—Russian bolshevik forces have been driven out of Oranienbaum, a town on the southern shore of the Gulf of Finland, nineteen miles west of Petrograd, by naval units from Kronstadt, says a dispatch from Viborg. Warships have gone up the Neva river and landed contingents of sailors in Petrograd where part of a garrison has joined the revolutionaries. The rest of the garrison is declared to have retreated toward Gatchina, thirty miles southwest, where Leon Trotzky, minister of war, and the bolshevik high command, have headquarters.

Soviet leaders are terrified and Premier Lenine and Trotzky are preparing for a flight, says a Reval dispatch to the Matin. Anti-bolshevik Leader Antonovoff, at the head of 50,000 armed peasants, is declared to be in control of the governments of Voronezh and Tambov, in southern Russia and it is said that fact makes it impossible to revictual the northern sections of the country.

Kronstadt Unites in Uprising

HELSINGFORS, Finland. — All classes of citizens of Kronstadt, the great Russian naval base near Petrograd, have united in the uprising against the soviet government, says a dispatch to the Russian union agency here.

Organization of a revolutionary committee which later became the provisional government, was carried out and its members were chosen from seamen and workmen having no political affiliations.

The provisional government has published a program, the agency announces, the essence of which is a demand for immediate convening of a constituent assembly and the restoration of freedom of trade between individuals.

Soviet Officials Flee

PARIS.—Twenty-five soviet Russian commissaries, abandoned by their troops, have taken refuge in Esthonia, according to a wireless message picked up by the Eiffel tower station today.

The garrison of Krasnoya Gorko, near Petrograd, has rallied to the anti-bolshevik cause, says a wireless message to the French foreign office.

Pskov, near the Esthonian border, is reported captured by the insurgents.

Commissaries Zinovieff and Kalinin and several other bolshevik commissaries at Petrograd are reported captured by the insurgents.

Commissaries Zinovieff and Kalinin and several other bolshevik commissaries at Petrograd are reported arrested at Isborg (Viborg?) while in flight, according to the wireless advices.

Maxim Litinoff, chief of soviet legations abroad, is said to have embarked in a bolshevik vessel off Reval after drawing an important sum from the bank there.

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PRESIDENT HARDING TO TALK OVER NEW LAWS WITH LEADERS

Republican Leaders in Congress to Confer With New President at Dinner

FIRST CABINET MEETING IS CALLED FOR TUESDAY

Take up Plans for Special Session of Congress

WASHINGTON—Legislative policies of the new administration will be discussed by President Harding with republican congressional leaders at a dinner Monday night at the white house. Tuesday the president will preside at the first meeting of his cabinet. The call went out Monday and the hour was fixed at 11 a. m.

It was said the cabinet session would be of a general character and that the president would take up in particular the question of relations with Costa Rica and Panama and the program for the special session of congress. Information and advice received at the dinner tonight is expected to be laid before the cabinet by Mr. Harding and a definite decision on a date for calling congress into session may follow.

No definite schedule of cabinet meetings has been agreed upon.

The question of the special session of congress was discussed by the president today with Senator Underwood of Alabama, the democratic leader of the senate, who is understood to have urged that a date sometime in the first half of April be selected.

The Alabama senator indicated that a date probably would be announced tomorrow.

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THREE ADDITIONAL MEN ANNOUNCED IN ALDERMANIC RACE

The nomination papers of Albert B. Johnson and Severin J. Semingson, aldermanic candidates in the Tenth ward, together with those of John C. Voigt, present incumbent in the Second ward, were put in circulation in the city on Monday, according to announcement from the office of the city clerk. A complete list of the candidates will be published on Tuesday.

MRS. FRANZEN AND AUTHER ARE HELD FOR TRIAL

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Pierre Paul Arthar and Mrs. Charlotte Franzen, divorced wife of Philip M. Franzen, Madison, chief decorator of the University of Wisconsin, who were arrested about a week ago charged with a statutory offense, today waived preliminary examination in district court and were bound over to municipal court, bail being fixed at $1,000. The couple were returned to the county jail. Auther and the Franzen woman were alleged to have been living as man and wife at a local hotel when arrested.

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NAME BLUE SWEET PEA AFTER MRS. HARDING

NEW YORK — A gendarme blue sweet pea to be exhibited in the eighth international flower show which opens here next Monday, has been named "Mrs. Warren Harding." The flower's color is similar to that for which Mrs. Harding showed preference when selecting gowns here some weeks ago and which was named "Harding Blue."

BURY CHAMP CLARK ON 71ST BIRTHDAY

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—The special train bearing the body of Champ Clark departed at 7:30 a. m. Monday for Bowling Green, the statesman's home town where burial will be made during the afternoon. Monday was the former speaker's 71st birthday.

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FINDS MONEY IN FIELD

TAYLORVILLE, Ill—Fifty thousand dollars in notes, damaged currency and other valuables were uncovered by the son of Henry Traun on Saturday as he was harrowing corn stalks. The securities had been stolen from the Grove City Bank one week ago.

CHANCES SLIM FOR SHORT SESSION OF BADGER LEGISLATURE

Present Session Will Last Over Until July is Belief of Solons in Madison

LEGISLATORS CONFRONTED WITH TWO BIG SUBJECTS

Must Act on Tax Increase and State Reapportionment

BY FRED L. HOLMES

MADISON, Wis.—Hopes for a short session of the legislature are vanishing in thin air. The more sanguine members of the legislature who two months ago came to Madison in the belief that this session might be brought to a close early in May now think that the session will last into July. Two big facts stare the members in the face and mark the possibility of a long session.

(1) Efforts to increase income tax rates in the state in the face of bitter opposition of business interests.

(2) A reapportionment of the senate, assembly and congressional districts in the state under the last census.

The announcement that the surtax bills of Senator Severson, Senator Conant and the income tax bills of Senator Arnold and Assemblyman Dahl would not be considered until March 24 came as an indication that financial measures will not be reported to the legislature until after all important hearings have been held upon requests. The normal schools will come before the legislature next week to explain their requests for money and the university the week following. Governor Blaine has taken the position that the legislature should first determine the amount of money which it intended to raise and then fix appropriations accordingly. The finance committee has decided, however, that all requests for money should be given a hearing first.

Indications of the first opposition against an increase of income rates was shown at the hearing before the assembly tax committee this week. Nearly 100 business men from every section of the state came to Madison to protest against the C. E. Hanson bill for the repeal of the personal property offset and the Goodman bill to increase tax exemptions in the state. The business interests are determined there shall be no increase in income tax rates. Governor Blaine is determined that there should be no increase in property tax rates. A deadlock over this question is certain to prolong the session. The taxation measures loom as one great outstanding problem and until this question is settled the legislature will mark time so far as progress toward final adjournment. No important appropriation bills can be passed and Governor Blaine will not consider appropriation measures until he knows the policy of the legislature as to where the money is coming from.

A reapportionment of the state into new senate, assembly and congressional districts will shift a larger representation to northern Wisconsin. A resolution for apportionment passed the senate but has not been agreed to by the house. The house believes that the apportionment committee should be composed of eleven members, representing each congressional district. The senate has not so provided. There is a tenseness over the apportionment question. In some quarters there is an indication that a move may be made to so apportion the congressional districts that either Congressman John M. Nelson, Madison, or Congressman J. D. Beck, Viroqua, might be eliminated. Then there is opposition in the southern part of Wisconsin to losing a senate and assembly district which will be certain to go to northern Wisconsin. It will take time to work out this entire apportionment problem. These two things indicate that the hopes for a short session of the legislature are rapidly vanishing. One member of the senate declared today that he believed there was a possibility of completing the work of this session before September 1. The majority of members, however, think that it will take until July 1 to finish the work.

"NIGHTIE NIGHT" IS HERE TUESDAY NIGHT

Seldom has a play sprung into success and popularity more spontaneously than did "Nightie Night," the farce which comes to the La Crosse theater two nights, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 8 and 9, with Bruce Elmore in a featured role. The evening "Nightie Night" opened at the Princess theater in New York, when Adolph Klauber, the producer, appeared in behalf of the authors, Martha M. Stanley and Adelaide Matthews, the audience was on its feet shouting words of encouragement and the critics the next morning unanimously hailed it as a new delight. The original cast, as well as the original production, is to be seen here, including Olive Shelley, Lucille Wall, Emma Cunningham, Ruby Craven, George Pierpont, Sidney Dudley and Reynolds Evans. "Nightie Night" preaches the doctrine of happiness because it is sheer amusement and nothing more.

Rubber Scarce in Germany

German laborers compelled to stand in muddy trenches are making use of boots made of sheet iron to keep their feet dry. There is a scarcity of rubber for this purpose.

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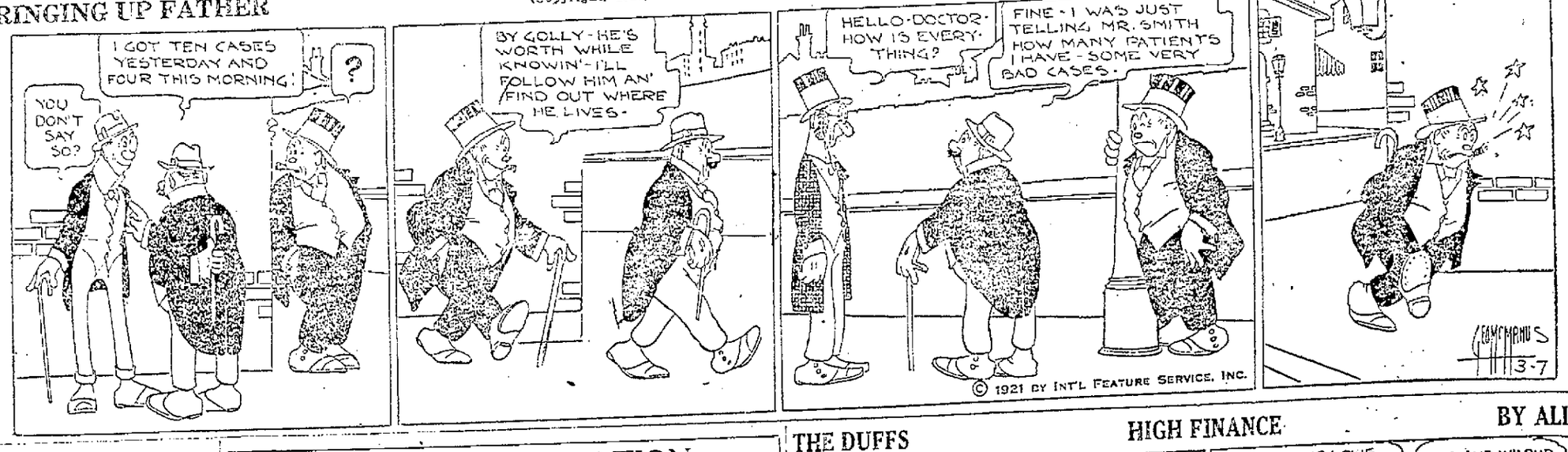

DOLLAR BILLS IN STYLE AS SILVER PASSES OUT HERE

Local Bankers Say that Nearly Everyone Carries Roll These Days

That the silver dollar is rapidly going out of style in La Crosse is the declaration of employes of local banks.

The records, as the lawyers declare, are the best evidence, and tellers of local banks unite in asserting that in each banking day they handle only a small percentage of the silver dollars which passed through their hands two or three years ago.

"I haven't passed out a silver dollar this morning," said J. E. Stokke, assistant cashier of the Security Savings bank, when asked the leading question. "Nearly everyone wants dollar bills for change, and we don't force the silver. It started two or three years ago, and now the women, as well the men, ask for paper money."

"The banks have helped to popularize the dollar bill," said Joseph F. Bartl, teller of the National Bank of La Crosse. "Inasmuch as the mints are no longer making silver dollars, they will become scarcer as the years go back and finally will be placed in the same class as the silver half-dime and three-cent piece and other coins of past years, according to the present outlook."

Not only are customers of banks now requesting change in dollar bills, but many ask for clean, new dollar bills.

Irving R. Ruggles, one of the tellers in the National bank, strives constantly to have on hand a supply of clean bills for the customer who wants his roll to be well laundered. Other tellers in local banks likewise try to keep a supply of clean, dollar bills for particular customers. They make nice birthday presents, and it's a pleasure to peel them off the roll when they are clean and fresh and when they rustle.

In the larger cities silver dollars are so scarce as to be regarded almost as a curiosity. In Chicago, for instance, even the bootblacks and newsies carry their rolls of one-dollar bills for change, and one seldom sees a silver dollar.

Why He Stayed

Lieutenant Governor Channing Cox of Massachusetts, discussing the high cost of living in France, said the other day:

"In Paris, you know, a good pair of shoes fetched $50, and a good meal about as much.

"Well, a young lawyer started on a brief vacation trip to Paris in June and he long overstayed his time. On his return in late September a friend who knew he was none to flush, said to him:

"'Why did you remain so long in Paris, Jim?'

"'My friends kept me there,' Jim answered.

"'Your friends? Why, Jim, I didn't know you had any friends in Paris.'

"'I haven't. My friends are all in Oshkosh, and they refused to lend me any money'."—River Falls Journal.

France's wine output for 1920 was about twenty per cent greater than that of 1919.

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PENDING LEGISLATION

MADISON, Wis.—Sensational developments are expected Wednesday when the assembly education committee considers the Olson bill to abolish the state board of education. No other hearing of the week will hold as much general interest as that which brings the educational fight, which has been brewing in the state directly before the legislature.

It is proposed in the Olson measure which was inspired by C. P. Cary, state superintendent of public instruction, to do away entirely with the board of education and distribute its educational bonus duties to the adjutant general, and the other duties to the normal and university regents and to the superintendent of public instruction.

Hearing on this important bill, which is expected to precipitate the big educational fight of the session, has been delayed by Chairman Miles C. Riley of the committee on education, in order that Mr. Cary might be present in person. He is expected to present the arguments on which opponents of the board will ask its abolition.

Automobile drivers will have their interest centered on three bills before the highway committee during the week, two of them requiring that all drivers in the state be licensed before being permitted to operate a car on the highways, and another requiring that all automobile owners insure their cars.

The joint highways committee has introduced a bill in the senate forbidding any person to drive any motor vehicle without having secured a license. Two reputable citizens would have to testify to his qualifications before the applicant would be allowed to pay his fee of $1. First violation of the law would result in suspension of license for three months.

Senator Duck has a somewhat similar license bill but it requires in addition that the owner have insurance on his car. Assemblyman Mark has a straight automobile insurance bill, and Assemblyman Schafer a bill providing fine for persons driving faster than 30 miles an hour. All of the measures will be considered by the joint highways committee on Wednesday evening.

Party conventions to select candidates for primary elections as proposed in a bill of Assemblyman Ingalls is to be considered by the judiciary committee on Wednesday. Considered the most important elections bill before the legislature, it will take up the entire hearing day.

The constitutional amendment permitting sheriffs to succeed themselves, as passed by the 1919 legislature, will be before the assembly judiciary committee on Thursday for recommendation. It has been introduced by Assemblyman C. E. Hanson.

A normal school for Rhinelander is proposed in a bill supported by Assemblyman Grandine. It will be considered by the joint finance committee on Thursday.

The Peterson firearm law, once voted down by the assembly, is back in committee and will be considered by the public welfare committee on Tuesday. The committee will at the same time consider a bill of Assemblyman Pelakowski including hoteds and theaters among the employers restricted by laws governing the work of women and cutting down the number of hours of work for women from 10 to 8, with a 44 instead of a 55 hour week.

Hours of work and conditions of work for women and minors are regulated in a bill of Assemblyman French's which will be heard by the public welfare committee Tuesday. The measure regulates work in detail.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN NEWS

La Crosse men are well represented in the chemical exhibit, according to a bulletin issued Friday by the department.

The chemical school is divided into four sections: Organic Chemistry, H. K. Hoover, chairman; Physical Chemistry, J. J. Liskovec, chairman; Chemical Warfare, M. T. Herreid, chairman; General and Inorganic, H. J. Lueck, chairman.

In the general and inorganic section Ralph Spence and Roy Beauchler will give demonstrations. Beauchler is a former La Crosse Normal student while Spence is well known in La Crosse.

Besides being chairmen of their respective committees, Liskovec and Herreid will also handle parts in the organic section. Liskovec will have the rubber line and Herreid the food line.

The chemical school had the best showing in the 1915 exposition and will try to repeat the act this year. The attraction of this year's show will be an enclosed glass cage containing gases, through which the audience will be allowed to pass through donned with "gas masks." Other demonstrations will consist of late improvements in the electrochemical, colloidal, photochemical, rubber, glass, soap, fuel, dye, paint, explosives, food, "nitrogen fixation" and metal lines.

Mine In Same Way 400 Years

The silver mining methods of Peru are much the same as practiced when Pizarro conquered the country four centuries ago.

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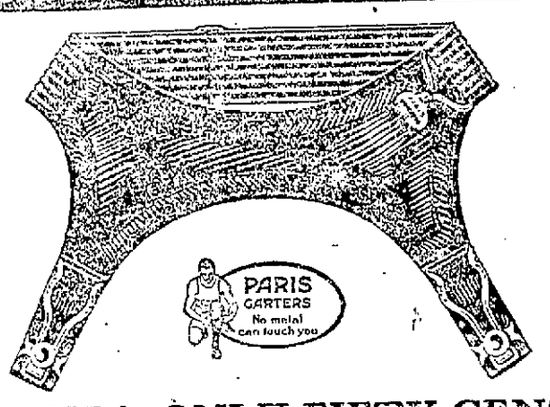

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MY SPIRIT

AND it shall come to pass afterwards, that I will pour out My Spirit upon all flesh.—Joel 2: 28.

The Big Stick

THE day after Secretary Hughes took office he sent a note to Panama and Costa Rica which from published accounts seems to have been a rather peremptory order to quit fighting or be made to. The note was accompanied by a pair of battleships.

In his first public statement after assuming office, Secretary of the Navy Denby declared for "a navy as large as that possessed by any other country in the world." "I realize that can mean only Great Britain," he said, "and still that is the kind of a navy I want."

Evidently this is not to be a pussy-footing administration.

A Living Force

GEORGE CARR was overwhelmed, flooded, on Sunday by personal visits and telephone calls from citizens anxious to help the family whose desperate plight he had made known through this newspaper earlier in the day. The reaction of La Crosse was as generous as it was prompt. It was so in the case of "Jim", whose home was recently saved and his distress relieved by the response of the city when his situation was told. These things rib with steel the bulwarks of one's faith in mankind. No proper man or woman, confronted with misery and helplessness, can or will refuse to aid. The "quality of mercy" lives instinctively in the heart of us all. It wells forth the instant the need is known. The "brotherhood of man", so often flouted as a mere poetic figure, needs only the call of opportunity, of emergency, to show itself as a living force.

"Wise" to Bolshevism

ONE hesitates to believe that the bolshevik government of Russia is really facing a great hostile popular movement. The propagandists have cried "wolf!" so often when there was none that one takes all Russian rumors with many grains of salt. And yet the current reports are more persistent, more definite, than any of those before. Perhaps this is the end. . . . .

Significant is the demand of the revolutionists for "immediate convening of a constituent assembly and restoration of the freedom of trade between individuals." In a nutshell, the demand means the end of the bolshevik principal of government. A constituent assembly is the exact reverse of the soviet system of partisan oligarchy, at every upward level further removed from the people it governs. Freedom of trade is, simply, the antithesis of communism, in which the state owns, buys and sells everything.

If this is the demand of the revolutionaries, it means that the Russian people are not merely dissatisfied with results of bolshevism—it shows that they understand why the bolshevist theory has failed.

Chaos Again?

WHATEVER of economic recovery and reconstruction has been started in Europe since the armistice is in jeopardy today. Germany's revised offer of reparation is reported unsatisfactory to the allies, and the next step, the step anxiously pressed forward to by France, is invasion of Germany. Germany cannot fight invasion successfully. The French will have it all their own way. But almost certainly there will be some resistance, either by the home guard organizations which are practically independent of the German government or perhaps by civilians. And that is all that is needed to give ground for not only peaceful occupation of the Ruhr district, but of perhaps even the most of Germany by hostile troops. Such a large-scale invasion of Germany means prostration of peaceful trade, effort and production not only in Germany but also in France, whence the army must be drawn for the purpose. It means the closing of European markets, or the best of them, to both English and American businessmen. It means further financial distress and unemployment on this side of the water, if nothing else. In short, it will create a situation in which the United States will have a most exigent interest, a situation directly involving our industry, labor and agriculture. Before we can talk of "disentanglement from Europe" this situation must in some way be straightened out.

The Court Erred

KANSAS CITY court of appeals rules that "uh huh" does not legally signify consent, and cannot be translated (legally) as "yes." The matter before the court was a wedding ceremony; the bridegroom gave his assent to the marriage by saying "uh huh."

From time whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary it has been the custom to place less strain upon the vocal chords by substituting "uh huh" for "yes." But no more in Kansas City.

Of course, this doesn't signify that the court there is right. Other courts have ruled that a speaker's language may be translated into that used in the courtroom. They have interpreters for that purpose. Evidently this Kansas City court needs someone to interpret English as it is spoken outside the court room.

Hostages to Fortune

THE most quoted words of Francis Bacon, English philosopher, are: "He that hath wife and children hath given hostages to fortune, for they are impediments to great enterprises, either of virtue or mischief. Certainly the best works and of greatest merit for the public have proceeded from the unmarried or childless men." Bacon was himself a bachelor and, therefore, may have been biased and prejudiced when discussing the comparative merits of single and married men.

It is interesting to examine his claim in the light of the experience of the 300 years that have passed since his death. Some of man's "best works and of the greatest merit for the public" have been performed within that time. And who has done them—married or single men? Well, there was Bacon's contemporary, Shakespeare, a married man; and Oliver Cromwell, married; and Milton, the poet, married; and George Washington, married; and Benjamin Franklin, married; and Abraham Lincoln, married; and Thomas Edison, married. These names of men of great merit come to mind offhand. How many equally renowned bachelors can you think of quickly?

It was Franklin who, discussing the usefulness of wives to men who are successful, said: "We have an English proverb that says, 'He that would thrive, must ask his wife.' It was lucky for me that I had one as much disposed to industry and frugality as myself."

Washington state legislature proposes to regulate women's dress; which isn't the first time fools rushed in where angels fear to tread.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace has his own diversified farming scheme; he operated five farms in five states.

Spring's tears bring summer's smiles—also your food next winter.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

John P. Bird, former superintendent of La Crosse schools, will represent the La Crosse Board of Trade before the legislative committee in charge of the university extension appropriation bill. The committee meets in Madison next Thursday and the La Crosse man will urge the $150,000 appropriation. Dr. Evans will also probably be in Madison to work for the establishment of one of the extension service bureaus here.

Beginning Thursday afternoon, the conference of the Free Lutheran church for the District of Minnesota, will meet in the Bethel Lutheran church on George street. Well known pastors of Lutheran churches from all over the northwest will attend and take part in the meeting.

At a meeting of the Retail Grocers' association last evening a movement to make the La Crosse wagon bridge a free bridge was inaugurated. Investigations have proved that wherever the distance is anything like equal Minnesota farmers go to Winona to trade to save the tolls, resentful farmers in many cases traveling many miles further to Winona because access to that market is free.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The Franciscan Sisters of St. Rose Convent have completed plans for the erection of a $25,000 chapel to be built at the corner of Ninth and Winnebago streets during the coming year. Architect Liebert of Milwaukee, designed the building. The style will be Romanesque and the edifice will be known as the Adoration and Ordinary chapel.

The road extending around Pettibone park has been rip-rapped from one end to the other to protect it in case the river overflows its banks.

The heavy rains last fall which nearly washed Lake Como at Hokah out of existence have influenced the Milwaukee road to discontinue the Sunday excursions to that summer resort this year.

In the matter of selecting a site for the proposed new high school all members of the board of education are in favor of the market square but some persons hold that the bottoms adjacent to the causeway would be by far the most suitable location because it would not be so far away for north side residents.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Judge T. A. Dyson will go to Milwaukee tonight to attend the state convention of the Knights of Pythias.

Mayor Dengler, City Engineer Crosby and Mr. Parker of the board of public works have gone to Holmen to attend a meeting to decide whether or not to construct a bridge over Black River.

Messrs. Richard Mourning and Harry Colman of the Burlington railway, have returned from a month's visit in Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barron returned today from a visit in Reading, Pennsylvania.

Mr. A. Moritz has returned from a two months' trip in Europe. He visited in Rhenish, Bavaria, with his mother, and also in Thuringia, Palatinate and Berlin.

A Man For the Ages

BY

Irving Bacheller

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(Continued From Yesterday)

Samson asked them in and put wood on the fire, and Sarah got up and made some hot tea and brought food from the cupboard and gave it to the strangers, who sat shivering in the firelight. They were a good-looking pair, the young woman being almost white. They were man and wife. The latter stopped eating and moaned and shook with emotion as her husband told their story. Their master had died the year before and they had been brought to St. Louis to be sold in the slave market. There they had escaped by night and gone to the house of an old friend of their former owner who lived north of the city on the river shore. He had taken pity on them and brought them across the Mississippi and started them on the north road with a letter to Elijah Lovejoy of Alton and a supply of food. Since then they had been hiding days in the swamps and thickets and had traveled by night. Mr. Lovejoy had sent them to Erastus Wright of Springfield, and Mr. Wright had given them the name of Samson Traylor and the location of his cabin. From there they were bound for the house of John Peasley, in Hopedale, Tazewell county.

Lovejoy had asked them to keep the letter with which they had begun their travels. Under its signature he had written: "I know the writer and know that the above was written with his own hand. His word can be relied upon. To all who follow or respect the example of Jesus Christ I commend this man and woman."

The letter stated that their master had often expressed his purpose of leaving them their freedom when he should pass away. He had left no will and since his death the two had fallen into the hands of his nephew, a despotic, violent young drunkard of the name of Biggs, who had ruled his servants with club and bull whip and who in a temper had killed a young negro a few months before. The fugitives said that they would rather die than go back to him.

Samson was so moved by their story that he hitched up his horses and put some hay on the wagon box and made off with the fugitives up the road to the north in the night. When daylight came he covered them with the hay. About eight o'clock he came to a frame house and barn, the barn being of unusual size for that time and country. Above the door of the barn was a board which bore the stenciled legend: "John Peasley, Orwell Farm."

As Samson drew near the house he observed a man working on the roof of a woodshed. Something familiar in his look held the eye of the New Salem man. In half a moment he recognized the face of Henry Brimstead. It was now a cheerful face. Brimstead came down the ladder and they shook hands.

"Goo' land o' Goshen! How did you get here?" Samson asked. Brimstead answered:

"Through the help of a feller that looks like you an' grit of a pair o' nosses. Come down this road early in September on my way to the land o' plenty. Found Peasley here. Couldn't help it. Saw his name on the barn. Used to go to school with him in Orwell. He offered to sell me some land with a house on it an' trust me for his pay. I liked the looks o' the country and so I didn't go no further. I was goin' to write you a letter, but I hain't got around to it yet. Ain't forgot what you done for us. I can tell ye that."

"Well, this looks better than the sand plains—a lot better—and you look better than that flea farmer back in York state. How are the children?"

"Fat an' happy an' well dressed. Mrs. Peasley has been a mother to 'em an' her sister is goin' to be a wife to me." He came close to Samson and added in a confidential tone: "Say, if I was any happier I'd be scairt. I'm like I was when I got over the toothache—so scairt for fear it would come back I was kind o' miserable."

Mr. Peasley came out of the door. He was a big, full bearded, jovial man.

"I've got a small load o' hay for you," said Samson.

"I was expecting it, though I suppose 'twould be walkin'—in the dark o' night," Peasley answered. "Drive in on the barn floor."

When Samson had driven into the barn its doors were closed and the negroes were called from their place of hiding. Samson writes:

"I never realized what a blessing it is to be free until I saw that scared man and woman crawling out from under the dusty hay and shaking themselves like a pair of dogs. The weather was not cold or I guess they would have been frozen. They knelt together on the barn floor and the woman prayed for God's protection through the day. I knew what slavery must mean when I saw what they were suffering to get away from it. When they came in the night I felt the call of God to help them. Now I knew that I was among the chosen to lead in a great struggle. Peasley brought food for them and stowed them away on the top of his mow with a pair of buffalo skins. I suppose they got some sleep there. I went into the house to breakfast and while I ate Brimstead told me about his trip. His children were there. They looked clean and decent. He lived in a log cabin a little further up the road. Mrs. Peasley's sister waited on me. She is a fat and cheerful looking lady, very light complected. Her hair is red like tomato ketchup. Looks to me a likely, stout armed, good natured woman who can do a lot of hard work. She can see a joke and has an answer handy every time."

For details of the remainder of the historic visit of Samson Traylor to the home of John Peasley we are indebted to a letter from John to his brother Charles, dated February 21, 1832. In this he says:

(Continued tomorrow)

SCHOOL STUDY SPORTS **THE BOYS AND GIRLS NEWSPAPER** HOME WORK PLAY

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HOW THE PAGE OF A DAILY NEWSPAPER IS PREPARED FOR PRESS

[A "Why" Article]

Jim and his crony Al were on a visit to the local newspaper plant. They were in the press room standing by the side of the big fat foreman watching the huge roaring presses grind out copies of the daily paper.

"But," says Jim to the foreman, "I don't see how all the little pieces of type stay on those rollers without flying off—they go around so fast."

"Well, son," says the fat foreman, "there isn't a single piece of type in that whole press—only solid stereotyped plates with the faces of the small pieces of type molded on them.

"There is nothing that makes it possible to securely fasten all the thousands of single pieces of type in a newspaper page to those round rollers. So we use curved metal plates cast from flat type forms.

"In making a newspaper page all the single pieces of type, linotype slugs and metal engravings of pictures are assembled into a flat form.

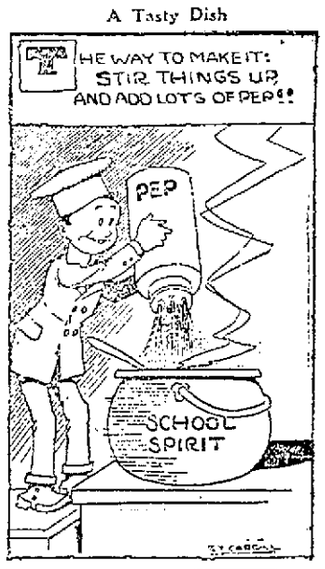
"This bulky affair is taken into the stereotype room where a pasteboard (technically called papier mache) mold is made of it. To do this a wet sheet of pasteboard is spread over the form. Then form and all is shoved under a hot steam press and the pasteboard is baked under heavy pressure. When it is taken from under the steam press and off the type form the pasteboard carries an impression of every piece of type and engraving in the form. It is called a mat, or matrix.

"The mat is then clamped into a casting box. If a curved metal form of it is wanted the mat is curved when clamped in. Otherwise, it is left flat. Molten metal is poured over it and left for a few minutes to dry. The pasteboard mat peeled off, you find that on the face of the hardened metal is an exact reproduction of the original type form all ready, except for a little trimming of the edges, to be clamped on to the rollers of the printing press."

[Tomorrow: The Future of the Baleegirl in the Department Store.]

"Be Prepared"

A Tasty Dish



TODAY'S GREAT PERSON

March 7—Your Birthday?

Edward Payson Roe, an American novelist and minister. He wrote "Barriers Burned Away," a once-popular fiction story about the great Chicago fire. This was his first literary work and after its appearance a number of other stories from his pen followed. He was born March 7, 1838, in Newburgh, N. Y., and died July 20, 1888.

DAILY HARDKNOT

Paul asked Al how old he was. Al answered: "I am two years older than one-sixth of my father's age. Four years ago I was one seventh as old as my father. Eight years from now I will be two-thirds older than I am now." How old was Al?

Answer to last one:
CHASE
HAVEN
AVERT
SERVE
ENTER

Excuse received by a teacher for a pupil's absence:

"Dear Teacher: Please excuse John's absence from school yesterday as he fell in the mud. By doing same you will greatly oblige his mother."

TUNE UP EARS TO DETECT ENGLISH ERRORS

Being very anxious to get their ears "tuned up" to the sound of incorrect usage of the English language, one of the English classes of West High School, Minneapolis, Minn., is reciting aloud every day a special chart written on the blackboard, consisting of a number of incorrect expressions that should be avoided, such as "He don't," and "I done it," and "It is me."

A FAMILIAR QUOTATION
You Should Know

[Can you guess who wrote it?]

And what is so rare as a day in June?
Last one:
On Fame's eternal camping ground
Their gallant tents are spread,
And glory guards with solemn 'round
The bivouac of the dead.
—Theodore O'Hara, "The Bivouac of the Dead."

NUTS TO CRACK

What is the word of only three syllables which combines in it twenty-six letters?

[Answer to last one: "Why is opening a letter like taking a very queer way of entering a room?"—Because you break through the ceiling (sealing).]

When you are sitting and thinking be sure you are not just sitting.

GIRLHOOD STORIES OF FAMOUS WOMEN

Adrienne de Lafayette.

"Adrienne, my dear child, I have accepted the proposal of the Marquis Lafayette, and you are to become his bride. Since you are only fourteen years old you and your husband will live with me for the present so that I may influence your education and training."

"What good fortune—how lucky I am," cried Adrienne, dancing with glee. And indeed she was lucky. For the young marquis, whom she called her "big boy with the red hair," possessed an enormous fortune and belonged to one of the oldest and wealthiest families in France.

With her prayers, loving thoughts and hopes, Adrienne was a great help to her young husband who so valiently fought for America in her struggle for freedom.

A CHEAP MIRACLE

BY DR. WILLIAM E. BARTON

BARTON

George Gissing told in one of his books that as he passed along the road one day he met a lad of about ten who was weeping bitterly. His mother had sent him to a neighbor's to pay a debt, and the boy had lost the coin.

Gissing asked how large the coin was, and was told that it was sixpence.

"Sixpence dropped by the wayside, and a whole family made wretched! I put my hand in my pocket, and wrought sixpenny-worth of miracle!"

Gissing never possessed an amount of cash sufficient to have wrought an expensive miracle. He lived among the poor. He saw and felt the brutalizing effects of hopeless squalor. The pall of this was upon his writings; he never became a cheerful novelist or one whose books sold largely. Life for him was too bitter, too sad. But his heart warmed to the day of his death as he remembered how he had wrought at least one sixpenny miracle.

Not every miracle can thus inexpensively be wrought. There are some kinds of evil that go not out except by fasting and prayer. But there are other miracles that are so cheap the wonder of it is we do not all turn miracle-workers.

Gissing referred only to the sorrow of one household as lifted by his sixpenny gift. But the woman to whom the coin was owed was helped also; and she, perchance, owed another woman to whom she paid the coin; and so on. That sixpence is probably in circulation yet!

But think of the miracle that it wrought in Gissing! He, himself so poor and lonely, so inhibited from any large share in the world's productive energy—behold him, at the cost of only so much as, but a little self-denial he can spare from his dinner, the worker of a miracle, and the possessor of a happy memory which he can never forget!

Mast Made in Three Hours

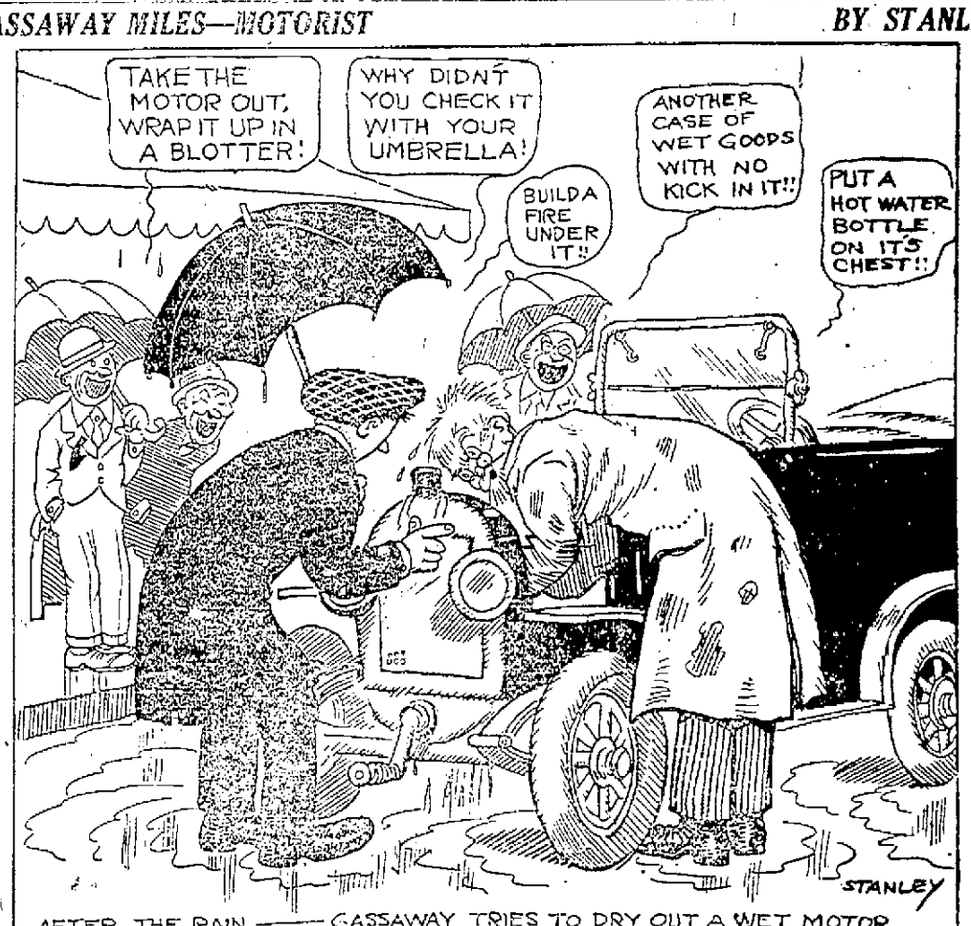
It used to take a man about a week to cut out and finish a hundred-foot mast, but now it is done in three hours by a machine.

Skirts 'll be thinner this spring, but complexions 'll remain at th' ole thickness. Nothin' upsets a woman as much as hearin' that somebuddy got married that she didn' even know wuz engaged.

Teach Chess in German School

Chess is part of the curriculum of a public school at Strobeck, Germany. Every child has a chess board packed up with the books.

GASSAWAY MILES—MOTORIST BY STANLEY



AFTER THE RAIN —— GASSAWAY TRIES TO DRY OUT A WET MOTOR WITH THE AID OF A CROWD OF CURB STONE CLOWNS —IF ADVICE WAS A SPONGE, THEY COULD HAVE MOPPED UP SALT LAKE IN ONE PASS FROM RIGHT TO LEFT—

The Screen

AT THE THEATERS TODAY

Rivoli—First National super productions, "A Woman in His House," the style show of 1921.

Riviera—Constance Talmadge in "The Girl of the Timber Claim"; Eddie Polo serial, "King of the Circus"; two acts of vaudeville, Jesse Herbert Trio, in a musical offering, and Sina Gershon, the dancing violinist.

Majestic—Allan Dwan's special production, "The Forbidden Thing"; Kinograms and vaudeville, Phil Weir, "The Entertainer After the Party," and Harvey and Trix Speck in "Pause, Gaze and Harken."

Casino—All star cast in "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath"; serial, "The Lost City."

Strand—Beatriz Michelena in "Heart of Juanita"; Ford Weekly.

VODVIL AND PICTURES AT RIVIERA TODAY, TUESDAY

Two acts of vaudeville, a feature picture, a serial and musical selections by the orchestra compose the program at the Riviera today and Tuesday. The Jess Herbert Trio, in "Music and Correspondence," will provide entertainment in both the musical and comedy lines. Sina Gershon, a charming musician who is called the "dancing violinist," presents a novelty number in which she plays the latest dance music, at the same time executing the latest fox trot steps. Constance Talmadge is the star in the feature picture, "The Girl of the Timber Claim." The serial is Eddie Polo in the latest episode of "King of the Circus." The Riviera orchestra, under the leadership of Chester Wright, has prepared a special musical setting for the Talmadge picture that should prove of interest to picture lovers.

"PARLOR, BEDROOM AND BATH," SCREEN COMEDY IS CONVULSINGLY FUNNY

Certainly one aspect of the critical housing situation has been relieved by the picture, "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," which is the attraction at the Casino today and tomorrow. It provides more room for laughs than any offering on the screen since such productions as "Fair and Warmer." No matter whether the reader is a little behind in his account with the milk company, or has to make a payment on the old mortgage on the farm, or whether his wife insists on a new automobile to match the spring hat of apple green straw, he should see this picture. Eugene Pallette plays the young husband, Kathleen Kirkham the wife, Ruth Miller, Jr., is prominent in the cast. "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath" opened its La Crosse run Sunday at the Riviera and played to big houses at the matinee and night showings.

CARMEN-LIKE ROLE SUITS MISS MICHELENA

Beatriz Michelena, who has been seen too seldom on the screen of late, has the type of role in "Heart of Juanita," playing at the Strand today and the Riviera Tuesday that fits her admirably.

Juanita, queen of the dance-hall in the primitive California settlement, is a Carmen type, volatile, temperamentous in her moods, intense in love or hate, and willing to go the limit in everything she does. "As soon as I had read the script of the 'Heart of Juanita,' I saw a character I wanted to portray," said Miss Michelena. "Juanita the ungoverned, passionate, loyal-hearted woman of the dance-hall, whose hot Spanish blood impelled her as well to all-consuming love as to deadly revenge, is a fascinating creature, the portrayal of whose character seemed to me to offer unlimited scope. Juanita is a modern 'Carmen' without the Spanish heroine's fickleness."—The Ford Weekly completes the Strand program for today. Tomorrow's bill includes Taylor Holmes in "Nothing But Lies" and a Century Comedy.

"THE FOBIDDEN THING" A STORY OF GREAT LOVE

The triumph of true love over false is the underlying theme of "The Forbidden Thing," Allan Dwan's first offering under the banner of Associated Producers, which will be the feature attraction at the Majestic Theatre.

Abel Blake loves Joan, a pretty girl of Provincetown, on Cape Cod, and is ready to marry her when she is called away to nurse an uncle who is ill. No sooner has she gone than Abel falls under the evil spell of Glory Prada, a dance hall beauty. When Glory realizes that she can entrap Abel in no other way, she contrives to marry him. Unhappiness is the inevitable result. Eventually, through a fortuitous circumstance, Abel and Joan are re-united and Abel settles down to life of long-denied happiness. Phil Weir "The Entertainer After The Party" and Harvey and Trix Speck in "Pause, Gaze and Harken," a clever couple who will offer some splendid comedy talk, singing and dancing, are the vaudeville numbers of the program with the above feature.

"WOMAN IN HIS HOUSE" CALLED SCREEN MASTERPIECE

"The Woman in His House," with an all-star cast, which includes Mildred Harris, opened an engagement at the Rivoli theater yesterday. It is in every sense of the word a screen masterpiece. Mildred Harris has the leading feminine role, and she is seen in a new light. The story concerns four people whose counterpart may be found in any gathering of representative human beings—the materialistic husband, the love-craving wife, the philosophic friend, and the child. Ramsey Wallace appears opposite Miss Harris as the too busy husband, an eminent physician. The acting of little Richard Hedrick as the stricken infant is a revelation, and recalls the marvelous work of the crippled characters in "The Miracle Man."

Why He Retired

"A bellhop has retired with $10,000."

"Only $40,000?"

"He said to interviewers that his health was poor, and that for weeks at a time he was unable to hop."—Birmingham Age-herald.

New Maker of Cigarettes

A cigarette making machine which is quite new has the appearance of a modern pistol. Pull the trigger and a nicely made cigarette issues from the muzzle.

Nearly four billion pennies are minted annually in the United States.

Japan leads the world in the number of divorces granted annually.

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Society

ROSE LAWRENCE IS HOSTESS IN HONOR OF HER BIRTHDAY

IN CELEBRATION of her birthday, which is today, Monday, Miss Rose Lawrence entertained at her home, 1102 South Eleventh street, a group of friends on Saturday evening. Games and music furnished the diversion of the evening and refreshments were served at ten o'clock. The guests spent a delightful time and showered their hostess with congratulations and happy wishes for many returns of the day.

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THE MOTHERS' Circle of the First Presbyterian church will entertain on Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors at one of its quarterly birthday celebrations. A short program will be given at four o'clock. Those having passed anniversaries in December, January and February will be honor guests on this occasion. The entertaining committee is: Mesdames J. R. Johnson, R. S. Jones, A. Selberg, Mary Bramwell and J. Leibel. The invitation is most cordial not only to the members of the circle, but others as well to attend.

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THE LADIES' AID society of the First Methodist church will entertain at coffee on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Morton J. Lyon, 314 West Avenue North. The hostesses will be Mesdames A. W. Schall, I. H. Peck, W. L. Rothermel, Charles Brown and J. G. Felton.

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THE LA CROSSE COUNTY Community Council will hold its spring rummage sale on Friday and Saturday, April eighth and ninth, the place to be announced later.

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ON TUESDAY night the members of the board of the Sunday school of the First Methodist church will enjoy a supper at the church parlors. Supper will served at half past six. The invitation is extended the teachers, officers and the members of the senior classes. Reports of the delegates in attendance upon the convention of the Wisconsin Sunday School Association at Sparta last week will be given. The delegates were Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Dixon and Miss Jeanette Baker. Those desiring reservations are asked to phone 880-R or 675-R.

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A RUMMAGE SALE and food sale will be held by the Service Star Legion on Saturday in one of the stores in the Rivoli building. Home made baking and other things will be sold, as well as such articles as are contributed to the rummage sale. Persons who wish to contribute are requested to get into touch with Mrs. R. W. Keyes or Mrs. Foster.

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A SEVEN and one-half pound daughter, Elizabeth Jane, was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rice, 1602 Liberty street, this Monday morning.

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A NINE and one-half pound son, Donald John, was born on Sunday, February 27, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hafner, 1416 West avenue south.

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THE MEMBERS of the Ladies' Aid society of the Salzer Memorial church will be entertained at dinner in the church parlors on Friday by Mrs. G. F. Sexauer.

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THE COFFEE which was announced by the ladies of the Salzer Memorial church for Tuesday of this week, has been postponed until after Easter.

Neighborhood Stuff

"I hear the Joneses have got a five-thousand-dollar car."

"Which did they ever get it?"

"The car?"

"No, the five thousand."

"Oh, they haven't got that yet!"—Ohio Motorist.

COMING EVENTS

(These dates are taken.) Before deciding upon dates confer with Chamber of Commerce. Phone 76, and avoid conflict.)

March 8—Salzer Memorial church—Coffee, 3 to 7 o'clock, Benefit European sufferers.

March 9—Last regular meeting of La Crosse County Agricultural, Horticultural and Dairy association at Campbell hall.

March 16—La Crosse Woman's Club—Open Meeting—Y. M. C. A.

March 17—Lingerie sale and supper—Ladies of North Presbyterian church.

March 31, April 1 and 2—Eagles' Bazaar.

April 8 and 9—Rummage sale in interest of La Crosse County Community Council.

April 22—Y. W. C. A. Spring Fete, La Crosse Theater.

April 22—Piano Recital by Rudolph Gaun, under auspices of Ibsen club.

Every Saturday—7:30—Citizens' meeting at Library hall to study proposed state legislation—Under direction of La Crosse County Community Council. Open to all.

City Briefs

Yeomen Hall—Dance Tues. Clark's. Gabel's Sat. Sun. Class. Mar. 30.

Carpet and Rug Weaving.—Rag carpets a specialty. Prices gladly quoted. John Reuter, 1913 So 21st St.

Laundered Collars, 20c Mader's.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linker Bldg. By appointment only.

Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bg.

Union Made Garters 25c. Mader's Union store.

Your plumbing troubles promptly attended to. W. F. Schram, Phone 46.

Several La Crosse school teachers are planning to attend the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Southeastern Minnesota Educational association at Winona Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Home-baking—Bread, cake, pies, doughnuts, cookies. Delivered promptly. Phone 1592-M.

Marinello Goods at Hebberd's.

For Sale—One Piano and Phonograph. Call evenings. 916 Cameron Avenue.

Razor Blades ground at Hebberd's.

Easter Greeting and cards. Call 124 So. 7th. Irene Baker.

Removal Notice—Doctors Egan, Simones, Townsend and Gallagher have moved to their new offices, the entire second floor of the new Security Bank Building, Corner 4th and State Sts. Entrance State St., Opposite Court House.

Merlin L. Bosshardt, machinist at the airfield here, received word of the death of his father in St. Paul and left for that city Sunday.

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Card party Tuesday afternoon, 2:30 sharp, Eagle's Hall.

The Rev. John Faville of Lake Mills will preside at the meeting of the Wisconsin Congregational club, to be held Monday evening at Plymouth church in Madison. His brother, the Rev. Henry Faville of Lake Mills is also expected to attend. Members of the state board of the denomination, headed by the Rev. C. C. Rowlison of La Crosse, and many pastors and laymen in the counties tributary to Madison will be among the guests.

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Clifford E. Randall of Kenosha, who has just completed a term in congress, is being mentioned as a likely successor to Burt Williams as collector of internal revenue for Wisconsin. Mr. Randall was defeated for congress in the last election by H. A. Cooper. It is said that Randall has the backing of powerful interests in the republican party for the internal revenue job.

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Tea-cart Testing Plant

Because the various electric circuits on the present-day automobile give more trouble and present problems which sometimes baffle all except the most expert electricians a Chicago manufacturer has recently perfected a complete portable electric station. Due to to its portability, the apparatus may be wheeled acrosse the sidewalk to the vehicle at the curb so that it is not necessary to bring the car into the garage. It is thus a testing station on wheels. The equipment of the device is such that the following tests can be made: Battery test; magnetism of Ford flywheel magnets; condition of starter and generator; imperfect spark plugs; fuses; Ford or other coils and lighting and ingnition circuits.

Business Men Laughed at Dr. Bell

In 1877 when Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, was endeavoring to interest capital in the telephone, he was asked what he thought of the future of the instrument, and he gave a pen picture of the exchanges in every section and houses supplied with the instruments as they are really today and he was laughed at heartily because he was so sanguine of the future.

CONSERVATION OF WILD LIFE SUBJECT OF DR. RASMUSSEN

Local Man on Program of La Crosse County Agricultural Society

Talks on agriculture and musical numbers will feature the last regular meeting of the La Crosse County Horticultural, Agricultural and Dairy association which is to be held at the town of Campbell hall, North Salem road, Wednesday, March 9.

The program follows:

Community singing—Mrs. Robert Whelpley, leader.

Agricultural talk—Prof. C. H. Campion, Madison.

Vocal duet—Messrs. Alvin Arenson and Carl Bohrer.

Talk—Anna M. Jenkins, Bangor.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Robert Whelpley.

Reading—Bernice McDonald, West Salem.

Talk on Conservation—Dr. A. H. Rasmussen, La Crosse.

Community singing.

A MARVELOUS DINNER DISH

The great national dish of Korea is Cooksu. To make it, you plunge a large lump of ice into a bowl partly filled with steaming vermicelli of the endless variety. Over this you pour a portion of hot beef stew. The ice congeals the beef fat into little islands of grease, and you never know whether the portion dangling from the end of your chopsticks will be icy cold or burning hot. The vermicelli, which is very tough, is to be lifted to the mouth with the chopsticks. Keeping a firm hold on it with the lips and teeth, you slip the chopsticks down to lift again and take up the slack by sucking.

Big Men for a Little Job

The doorkeeper of the European hotel is generally a big man who will becomingly fill a gorgeous livery and in addition to this requirement, he must be of more than ordinary intelligence for he is called upon to meet the guests of the house and to advise and direct them. This important post at the front door of a large Vienna hotel was recently vacated and among the applicants were a major general, three majors and twelve captains.

Lace-making Now in Vogue

A revival interest in lace-making and lace appreciation appears to be in progress, if one may judge by the books about lace that are being published and the activities of those who are versed in the art of lace-making. Several clubs and guilds devoted to fine needlework, the making of lace and the teaching of both arts to young women have either been newly established or sprung into greater vigor within the last few years.

Plants Grow Best Transplanted

Plants do not always select the most congenial habitat, for it has been found that some specimens found growing modestly on the mountain top flourish to a marked extent when transplanted at the sea level.

Up Against It

1st. "My business has gone to the wall."

2nd. "How's that?"

1st. "I'm hanging paper now."—Pitt Panther.

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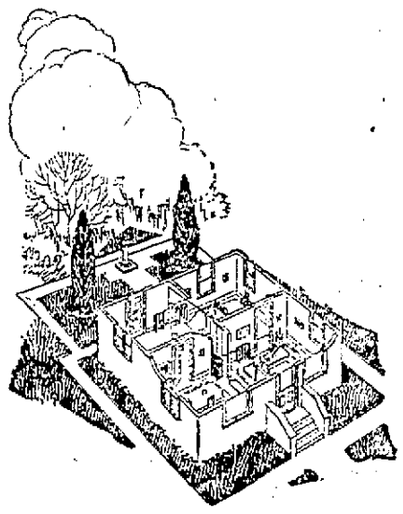

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F. L. SHUMAN POST OPENS DRIVE FOR LEGION MEMBERS

Every Former Service Man in City to be Asked to Join Organization

Frank L. Shuman Post of the American Legion, has concentrated on a membership drive. It is hoped to get every ex-service man in the city to join the local post.

The American Legion is an organization composed of men and women who served in the army or navy of the United States during the world war. The sixty-sixth congress which passed out a few days ago did not pass the American Legion's adjusted compensation plan but did pass a few bills which assure better care to the disabled men, due to the pressure which was brought to bear upon some of the members in congress by the million and a half ex-service men in the legion.

At the present time the members of the legion in the state of Wisconsin have their eyes on the legislature at Madison. A bill for constructing a memorial hospital has been proposed. This hospital is to take care of the six hundred shell-shocked soldiers of the state. It has been stated by good authority that by proper treatment fifty per cent of the mentally diseased could be restored to their normal mind. It has been more than two years since the armistice was signed and the guns ceased firing, but due to the neglect of public officers, some of the ex-service men have suffered terribly. That is the reason why every ex-service man should be in the legion. In numbers there is strength and the more members in the organization, the more prestige will be gained.

The Post Commander Wm. C. Strehl requests all ex-service men in the city to write to Senator E. F. Clarke, Assemblymen F. H. Fowler and W. F. Miller, urging them to give their support to this bill.

It was also stated by the post commander that the entertainment committee had arranged a splendid program for the next meeting, which will be at the Chamber of Commerce hall Wednesday. All ex-service men have been invited to attend. Dr. E. E. Armitage of the United States public health service will speak. The Service Star Legion will serve the eats in the regular army style. Some real entertainers have been procured and it is expected to be the snappiest meeting of the season.

IGNORED ORDER TO RESTORE WAGES TO FORMER SCHEDULE

(Continued from page one)

under the law decided what wages are just and reasonable."

Business depression, reduced cost of living and revenues below operating expenses were given by the road as the reason for the reduction order.

The road maintained its right to hire common labor at the prevailing local rates, declaring this class of workers was governed by the law of supply and demand.

Obituary

MRS. ANNA DRONY

Mrs. Anna Drony, mother of Mrs. John G. Kroner, died at a local hospital at 5 o'clock Monday morning after a lingering illness of infirmities of old age. The body will be taken to Chicago Tuesday evening for burial in the family lot at Mount Carmel cemetery.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

Allis-Chalmers	35½
American Beet Sugar	41
American Can	29
American Car and Foundry, bid	122
American Hide and Leather pfd.	44½
American International Corp.	41
American Locomotive	86
American Smelting and Ref'g	40½
American Sugar	91¾
American Sumatra Tobacco	85
American T. and T.	101⅞
American Woolen	61½
Anaconda Copper	38
Atchison	82½
Atl. Gulf and W. Indies	40
Baldwin Locomotive	88⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	32¾
Bethlehem Steel "B"	57
Canadian Pacific	113½
Central Leather	38⅝
Chandler Motors	71
Chesapeake and Ohio	59⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	26⅜
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	25¾
Chino Copper	21½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	29½
Corn Products	71⅝
Crucible Steel	92⅞
Cuba Cane Sugar	22⅝
Erie	13¼
General Electric	129½
General Motors	13¾
Goodrich Co.	37¼
Great Northern pfd.	71½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	31⅝
Illinois Central	88¾
Inspiration Copper	33¼
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	51½
International Paper	54¾
Kennecott Copper	17⅝
Louisville and Nashville	100
Maxwell Motors, bid	5
Mexican Petroleum	155⅝
Miami Copper	18¼
Middle States Oil	13¼
Midvale Steel	30¾
Missouri Pacific	18½
New York Central bid	70½
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	19
Norfolk and Western	98
Northern Pacific	80
Oklahoma Prod. and Ref.	[illegible]
Pan American Petroleum	71⅞
Pennsylvania	38¼
People's Gas	40¾
Pittsburgh and West Va.	28
Ray Consolidated Copper	12
Reading	73½
Rep. Iron and Steel	66¾
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	60⅝
Shell Trans. and Trad	40
Sinclair Con. Oil	22⅝
Southern Pacific	75⅝
Southern Railway	21⅝
Standard Oil of N. J. pfd	104½
Studebaker Corporation	58⅝
Tennessee Copper	8⅝
Texas Co.	41⅝
Texas and Pacific	22¼
Tobacco Products	50½
Transcontinental Oil	8⅝
Union Pacific	120¼
U. S. Food Products	22¼
U. S. Retail Stores	53⅛
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	68⅞
United States Rubber	67¾
United States Steel	81⅞
Utah Copper	49⅝
Westinghouse Electric	44
Willy's Overland	7
Pure Oil Co.	33
Invincible Oil	20¼

CITY OPENS ITS HEART; GIFTS OF FOOD, CLOTHING SHOWERED ON NEEDY MAN

GEORGE CARR was one busy man Sunday and Monday.

He got himself a real job of work when he announced through "The Tribune and Leader-Press that a neighbor of his was in trouble, and offered to receive gifts that the kind heart of the city might offer.

The gifts nearly snowed George under. Before he was out of bed Sunday morning his telephone bell began to ring, and he had to keep the store open all day to receive the visitors who came with potatoes, and flour, and money, etc. In addition, George had a list of addresses as long as his arm, nearly, given over the 'phone by folks who wanted some one to call and collect the gifts they had to give.

George Uses Truck

George was busy Monday with his auto truck, calling on these people. At noon when he got back home the truck was piled with preserves, clothing and food of all sorts. And there's a load of coal on the way.

The story of the man with the sick wife, the unpaid-for home and four children who were subsisting on cornmeal mush because the father was out of a job and out of money, made a great impression on La Crosse. One man came out with a heavily-laden basket. He was prosperous-looking, but he said:

"Where's that house? I know how that man feels because I was exactly in his boat nineteen years ago. I got my chance, and he's going to get his."

Incidentally—don't whisper it where J. Allen Simpson, dry sleuth, might find out—somebody brought out, among other gifts, a gallon jug of home-made wine for the sick woman. "Maybe this ain't strictly legal," he said, "but it always helps my wife when she's sick."

Offer Wood and Clothing

Prominent folks and folks to whom giving meant a sacrifice came and called up. They offered food, money and clothing. Monday morning, in the Tribune office, there were several gifts of money. Mr. Carr was busy rounding up gifts, but he promised to make an acknowledgment by name to all the givers on Tuesday, through the paper.

"La Crosse certainly has a big heart," said Mr. Carr to a reporter. "They've just showered me with help for those folks. There's a job offered him, too. I understand, but I'm afraid he may not be able to take it right away. The doctors say that unless his wife begins to pick up strength in a day or two she must go to the hospital, and that means he must stay home to care for the children. But you should see how the family is cheered and encouraged. This is going to help that poor woman get well. I am sure."

THE POLITICAL FORUM

ANSWERING WALLACE

La Crosse, Wis., March 3, 1921.

Editor, Tribune and Leader-Press, La Crosse, Wis.

Dear Sir:—Regarding an article published in your evening paper by Mr. George Wallace, I wish to express my opinion on it and the man.

It is a fact that union men are out of work all over the city, not only union men, but others also, and this is not only a local move, but nationwide.

Now, I don't think this to be the case with our Honorable Mayor, Mr. Bentley, and this non-union outfit painting the city hall.

A non-union man is a citizen as well as a union man and must pay his share of taxes like a union man. This non-union outfit undoubtedly earned the right to this job, anyway I don't believe in "discriminating" on public work.

They surely didn't get it through any pull from the mayor.

Mr. Wallace writes that "Mayor Bentley is a hell of a mayor." Wouldn't it be grand if the mayor alone would be supreme boss and had everything his own way, or do you, Mr. Wallace, think he is, or should be. If this is your idea, then elect Colonel F. H. Fowler and take the skinny deal you'll have coming; also, Georgie Wallace, if you hold Colonel F. H. Fowler in such high esteem, why not pay him the respect by addressing him as Colonel F. H. Fowler.

Hon. Mayor Bentley told the men "to stick till hell freezes," but what come-back have you on that, you and your craft were the first, ready to break the ranks. Had you followed those words at the time, they were good and the men were in the right, I think there would be a "union outfit" on that job today.

Now, Mr. Wallace, I give you much credit as to being an ex-soldier, but as a union man, I'll say you are when it comes to the dollar, but not for the good principle of it. (Signed)

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TERRIBLE STORM WITH EARTHQUAKE SHOCK IN KENDALL

Damage Done by Electrical Disturbance Which Strikes Fear in Village

What is thought to be a slight earthquake, combined with and possibly caused by an extremely terrific bolt of lightning, caused between $2,000 and $3,000 damage in the village of Kendall Saturday afternoon.

At 4:18 the flash occurred, the bolt seemed to split in midair above the town, the tongues striking in several different places. Instantly there followed earth tremblings lasting about ninety seconds, there being continual rumblings and snappings in the atmosphere during this time. Between three and four hundred window glasses in various sections of the town were shattered. To add to the danger of falling glass, etc., teams became frightened at the falling fragments and atmospheric disturbances and bolted through the streets. Several persons were thrown from their feet.

No one was seriously injured, several suffering slight cuts and bruises. The accompanying lightning disabled the Kendall Electric company, the Kendall Telephone company and the electrical apparatus at the Northwestern depot. The tremblings were felt for a distance of nine miles in the country.

SPARTA ROAD TO BE COMPLETED; BIDS ARE RECEIVED FOR WORK

Road 3 3-10 Miles East of Bangor to be Concrete or Bituminous-Macadam

After nearly five years of waiting the plan to complete the La Crosse-Sparta road is about to be realized. Bids received Friday have been forwarded to the state highway commission in Madison. Bids were sought for the work of completing 3 3-10 miles of highway east of Bangor. Four contractors bid on the job. Thirty thousand dollars was the lowest bid for bituminous-macadam and $35,000 for concrete, per mile, the surface to be 18 feet wide.

The state aid road and bridge committee of the county board, the town chairman, W. E. Reynolds of the local office of the state highway commission, and John Hintgen, county highway commissioner, will meet Tuesday morning in the court house to discuss the spring road program for La Crosse county.

Words Change Their Meaning

There are many instances where words change their meaning completely in the course of time. The word mansion meant simply a tent pitched for soldiers on their march. Later on it was applied to a roadside house for the accommodation of strangers.

MERCHANDISE MERIT GUARANTEED

The Part Honor Plays When Buyers Quit Consumer Advantage Get a Guarantee Lower Prices

AN EDITORIAL ON BUYING

The advertising of merchandise is the consumers' guarantee of merit.

In his advertising the manufacturer, over his own name, makes claims for his goods which must be lived up to. Consumers look for the qualities advertised, and if they fail to find them promptly transfer their patronage to another brand.

Advertising is a two-edged sword. It gives the consumers the advantage of knowing exactly who disappoints them. No one realizes this more keenly than the manufacturer. So with him it is a principle of good business as well as honor to make his goods measure up to his advertising claims.

Manufacturers, brought constantly before the public by their advertised goods, are usually men of high character, who make their goods as represented. But in addition to this, the educational force of advertising is such that the consumer is assured of honesty and quality because every reputable publication and advertising agency demand it.

When the consumer buys unadvertised goods, he gives up all these guarantees. He has no protection whatever, neither name nor assurance stands back of the product he buys.

If it is poor, he has no recourse. He does not know who has cheated him. The dealer is only the intermediary. He, himself, may have been cheated in the goods.

In buying advertised products, the consumer makes sure of goods manufactured on honor and sold on honor. He has the price advantage that comes from the big market built by the manufacturer's advertising which by increasing the output decreases the cost of each package or article, and enables the manufacturer to take a smaller individual profit on account of his great volume of business.

From every standpoint, the consumer is the gainer in buying advertised goods.

TWO FORDS COLLIDE ON GEORGE STREET ON SUNDAY EVENING

Two Tomah Men in Smashup are Taken to the St. Francis Hospital

Two Ford cars, one from Tomah, the other from Chaseburg, came all the way from their respective towns to stage a meeting on George street Sunday night.

The cars met in a collision on George street between Livingston and Moore streets, with the result that the driver and one of the occupants of the Tomah car, C. H. Doxtater and L. A. Hanson, were taken to the St. Francis hospital. The former received several bruises about the body, while Hanson was said to have suffered a severe cut on his head. Both of the men were alleged to have slightly imbibed, while the third passenger of the Tomah car, W. A. Heitman, was taken to Central station to sober up. It was said that Art Lehrke and his brother, occupants of the other car, escaped without serious injury.

According to the report of the accident, the Tomah men were driving south and the Lehrke brothers north on George street. While there were no eye witnesses to the accident, the position of the cars following the crash, according to the report of the police, indicated that the smashup was the fault of the Tomah men. The Lehrke car was said to have been as far to the right as was possible, while the car driven by Doxtater was alleged to have been traveling on the left side of the street.

The report of Fred Grosky, who had been passed by the Tomah car shortly before the accident, indicated that the driver appeared to be reckless at the time the car passed.

Both of the cars were smashed to the extent that they were unable to move away under their own power.

REJECTION OF TERMS BRINGS MILITARY MOVE

(Continued from page one)

The reply of Lloyd George would be very firm and positive in tone.

"The allies are perfectly agreed as to what should be said," he added.

Recognizes Obligation

In presenting his proposals at the conference's first session the German foreign minister, although declining to discuss the question of responsibility for the war, which he said only history could decide, expressed agreement with Mr. Lloyd George that the party which had been condemned by the peace treaty must pay. "The Germans, he pointed out, had made proposals to restore the devastated area of France, but these had been received with doubt.

Dr. Simons deplored the allied disposition to ignore the payments already made by the Germans, which they contended should be applied to the reparations account, and the allied persistence in the view that Germany was acting in bad faith. He discussed taxation in Germany and in the allied countries, seeking to disprove the statement made by the British premier last Thursday that Germany's taxes were lower than those of the allies.

Taxed to Limit

Dr. Simons maintained taxes should be calculated on a per capita basis, taking into account the income per capita. He quoted statistics to prove that on the basis of such calculations the Germans were more heavily taxed than the English. He declared even the allies had admitted further direct taxation in Germany was impossible.

The German proposition was made conditional upon the plebiscite to be held in Upper Silesia being decided in favor of Germany and upon the removal of all commercial restrictions.

"If we have to make proposals covering the total reparations we will have to ask for a week's adjournment to consult Berlin," said Dr. Simons in making his proposition.

A British battalion was reported ready to advance upon Duesseldorf while French and Belgian troops were awaiting marching orders that would send them into German territory.

KAROLYI BARRED FROM SPAIN AND PORTUGAL

FLORENCE, Italy—Count Michael Karolyi, whose expulsion from Italy was ordered last week, has gone to Tarvis, Carinthia, after two countries, Spain and Portugal, had refused to give him refuge. Among documents taken by the police were some showing that Count Karolyi planned to form a communist colony of Hungarian immigrants in America and, it is alleged, he was to be supported in this work by members of the Hungarian ministry and Nikolai Lenine, Russian bolshevik premier.

BADGER STUDENT KILLED

DALLAS, Tex.—Joseph Fernandez, 25, of Chicago, and student in the University of Wisconsin, was killed here Monday when struck by the propeller of an airplane from which he was alighting. Fernandez is said to have been on his way to Cuba to visit a brother.

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COSTA RICA-PANAMA TRUCE NEGOTIATED BY U. S. GOVERNMENT

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica—(By the Associated Press)—An armistice between Panama and Costa Rica, and final settlement of the boundaries question is being negotiated through mediation of the United States government, it was announced here today.

FRECKLES TAG KNOWS POP'S WEAK SPOTS! BY BLOSSER

MERCHANTS FILE BANKRUPT CASES IN COURT HERE

Wausau and Chippewa Falls Dealers are in Financial Difficulties

Petitions in bankruptcy have been filed with Clerk of the United States Court Alfred Harrison here by two central Wisconsin merchants.

Henry C. Will, a grocer of Chippewa Falls, claims in his petition liabilities of $4,700 and assets of $3,250.

John P. Jaeger handling general merchandise and hardware at Wausau, represents that he has liabilities of $27,584 and assets of $25,000.

Both cases have been referred to Referee in Bankruptcy C. L. Baldwin.

THREE-DAY FASHION SHOW WILL OPEN AT THE RIVOLI TONIGHT

Beautiful Gowns, Suits and Coats to be Displayed; Musical and Dancing Numbers

The stage is set for the fashion show which Mutchow Bros & Pruess will present at the Rivoli theater at 8:15 Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

An elaborate program of musical and dancing numbers and a display of gowns, suits, coats and accessories which will delight every woman in the city is promised for this event.

Following is a list of the models who will show the spring styles: Mrs. Charles Shorrel, Mrs. William Kroner, Misses Anna Esch, Frieda Enckhausen, Leona Johnson, Elizabeth Iden, Janet Conklin, Susie Carleton, Adeline Byrnes, Cora Larson, Esther Hegy, Marcella Volz, Maud Jarvis.

RAID HEADQUARTERS OF NIGHT RIDER BAND

SCOTTSBORO, Ala.—State authorities Monday were preparing to clean up the supposed headquarters district near here of the night rider bands which have been terrorizing Northern Alabama communities. Announcement that they intended to organize a posse for the purpose was made by officers who took part in a street battle at Stevenson, near here, yesterday, following an attempt by fifteen members of the Farm Tenants' union to release four members of the union held in jail there. The men were arrested when their night riding expedition was intercepted by Deputy Sheriff Stevens.

NEW RECORDS MADE BY MAIL PLANES IN THROUGH FLIGHTS

Pilot Completes Round Trip in Day and Another Makes Fastest Trip

Two new records were hung up in the Twin city-La Crosse-Chicago airmail service during the past week, according to official notification received by Herbert Carlson, manager of the La Crosse airmail station.

Pilot Thompson, in a single de Haviland plane equipped with a Liberty motor, made a non-stop flight from Minneapolis to Chicago, a distance of 380 miles, in two hours and 23 minutes. The best previous time was three hours. He left Minneapolis at 9 o'clock and landed on the Chicago field at 11:33.

Pilot Webster is the first flyer on this mail route to make the round trip in one day. Saturday morning he left Chicago at 8 o'clock and landed at Minneapolis at 11:30. Two hours later he hopped off for the return trip, and after a record flight landed here at 2:10. The stop here was brief, only eight minutes being spent in equipping the machine for the last lap of the journey. At 5:45 Webster stepped out of his ship on the Chicago field, having made the round trip in daylight of a single day.

AMERICAN PRELATE TO RECEIVE RED HAT ON THURSDAY

ROME—Cardinals of the Catholic church gathered at the vatican Monday morning for the secret consistory at which Pope Benedict announced the names of six new members of the sacred college.

The names submitted to the cardinals were those of Monsignori Dennis J. Dougherty, archbishop of Philadelphia; Juan Benlloch Y Vivo, archbishop of Burgos; Francisco Vidal Y Barraquer, archbishop of Tarragona; Francesco Ragonesi, papal nuncio in Madrid; Josef Schulte, archbishop of Cologne and Michael Von Faulhaber, archbishop of Munich.

Formal presentation of the insignia of office to the new cardinals will take place on Thursday in the hall of Beatification of the vatican. That ceremony will be much more elaborate than that of today.

Chief interest in today's ceremony centered in Archbishop Dougherty, who, after thirty-one years as priest, bishop and archbishop, attained a place in the sacred college at an age much below the average for members of that august assembly.

KOP IS CANDIDATE FOR ALDERMAN OF SIXTEENTH WARD

Frank L. Koppelberger, general manager of the La Crosse Theaters company, announced his candidacy Monday morning for alderman of the Sixteenth ward.

Nomination papers for Mr. Koppelberger were circulated Monday afternoon and will be filed with the city clerk before 5, it was said at noon.

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In my former letter to you I inquired about my diploma but received no reply. I am wondering if it is not ready? If you will kindly send it to me I will gladly pay the charges.

With best regards to the Instructors and Officers, I am

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DAIRYMEN MUST EXERCISE CARE TO STOP DISEASE

Health Officer Murphy Gives Warning to Dealers Respecting Scarlet Fever

"Scarlet fever cannot be controlled if our dairymen and other food producers who have the disease in their homes do not comply with the state law which makes it an offense to allow those that handle our milk or milk utensils to come in contact with those who have the disease or use any part of home or habitation occupied by those having or suspected of having the disease," said Health Officer A. M. Murphy.

"A few years ago one of our dairymen having scarlet fever in his home and permitted by the town officer and physician to allow those handling the milk and butter to mingle with those sick was complained of by the board of health and it was found that regardless of the permission given by the physician he was violating the state law in spreading the disease and consequently subject to prosecution. A number of scarlet cases were traced to the butter used from this dairy. Another large dairy was shut off entirely and the business practically ruined for allowing an employe with a scarlet infected throat to help do the milking and also do the bottling. As high as eight cases a day showed up on his route. After the supply was stopped not another case appeared.

"These examples are enough for any intelligent dairyman to keep all sore throats away from dairy products, as there is no known way of determining what we call a common sore throat from a scarlet infected throat. There are at the present time cases of scarlet fever in this county where the restrictions of the state law are not being enforced, and which are liable to bring trouble to the dairymen if continued violation of the law is allowed to go on. The fact that the physician permits you does not excuse you in the eyes of the law. We point our finger at some neighbor's child or at the school, and at the same time our children are being fed the infection by unscrupulous dealers in food stuffs.

"Our dairymen receiving a license here agree to observe strictly the provisions of the law, to safeguard the health of the public. In signing his application he agrees to sell from intercular inspected cows only. He agrees to milk cows in the cleanest possible manner, with udders washed before milking, etc. He agrees to remove milk from barn immediately for the purpose of straining and cooling. He agrees to have the barn well lighted, ventilated and drained, floors kept clean, and last but not least, he agrees to notify the health department of any contagion or a suspicion of contagion in his household. In default he agrees to have any license for the sale of milk and cream revoked by the health officer for the non-compliance of this agreement.

"One can see how easily trouble can follow for violating any of those provisions without depending on state laws. Those who violate the state law that do not come under our license can be prosecuted on complaint of any citizen. The board of health intends to wage war on any dairyman found violating these laws and spreading contagion among our citizens. One of our physicians in a small town in this county is known to have said: 'I make nothing but messes by trying to enforce the state law in regard to contagious diseases.' The inspection of our dairy is being carried on as heretofore, also our inspection of the milk supply. One of our large dairymen paid a fine of $25.00 and costs in county court for selling below grade cream."

TWO MEASURES FOR GRADE SEPARATION UP IN COMMITTEE

MADISON, Wis.—Two grade separation bills, which if adopted will add millions of dollars to the expense of railroads operating in Wisconsin, are to be heard by the assembly state affairs committee on Thursday. The Ruffing bill is more drastic in its provisions than a bill of Senator Bennett and would involve expenditures of $50,000,000 by the railroads, it is said.

Senator Bennett in his bill would require that railroads bear the entire expense of grade crossings, including the compensation to property owners affected, unless the railroad was built before the crossing was established. The Ruffing bill would require the railroads to bear the entire expense without exceptions. At present municipalities bear one-half of the total expense of building crossings.

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Editor—"Good. Most newspaper articles merely note a new strike."—London Weekly Telegram.

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GOVERNOR BLAINE ISSUES PLEA FOR NEAR EAST RELIEF

Asks that Each County Adopt a Definite Number of Children to Care for

MADISON, Wis.—Governor John J. Blaine in a statement to the people of the state today urged them to support the Near East Relief, which is caring for hundreds of thousands of orphan children. Each county, he says, has been asked to support a definite quota of these children for the coming year.

"As a result of the war, hundreds of thousands of innocent children have been reduced to the most heart-rending condition the world has ever known through no fault of their own," the governor declared, "but primarily because their fathers and brothers fought with the fathers and brothers of America in the great world war, and because they were Christians.

"Millions of these people have been massacred and of the survivors countless thousands are starving daily. In Armenia a million persons who, but for the aid of America would have died, are alive today. Was it worth while, the little self-denial in the midst of our plenty that meant nothing less than life to these, our brothers and their children?

"Near East Relief is the organization specially incorporated by act of congress on the same national basis as the Red Cross, to carry on the work of relief in the Near East where the Red Cross is not operating. Its accounts are carefully audited and reports made to congress semi-annually.

"Through the generosity of our people, combined with that of every other state in the nation, Near East Relief was able to feed over a million refugees and rescue over 100,000 children in its 229 orphanages, 63 hospitals, and 11 rescue homes which now dot the Near East.

"Each county in the state of Wisconsin and the nation has been asked to support a definite quota of hungry children for the coming year. The quota is not expressed in terms of dollars, but in human lives, the lives of Christian children.

"I therefore officially commend this appeal to our generous hearted people who have blazed the trail of world philanthropy and feel confident that they will not turn a deaf ear to this cry of starving children."

ERNEST BARTELS IS APPOINTED TEMPORARY POSTMASTER OF TOMAH

TOMAH, Wis.—Mark Syverson has resigned his position as city postmaster, and Ernest Bartels, Sr., has received a temporary appointment to the position. Among Tomahites out after the appointment are Mr. Bartels, William Honernailler, present assistant postmaster, Jay Mosher and Claude R. Sowle.

On March 19, there will be a meeting of the bookkeepers of Monroe county in this city. Two sessions will be held at which special attention will be given to the questions of marketing honey and the eradication of bee diseases. Mr. M. H. McMurray, extension agriculturist will address the meeting. Bee keeping is fast becoming one of the county's profitable and rapidly growing industries.

At the annual meeting of the Monroe County Rural Letter Carriers' association, the following officers were elected: President, Robert Heasty, Sparta; vice president, W. C. Morrisson, Wilton; secretary, Edward Bergman, Norwalk, and treasurer, Ray Steele, Valley Junction. Mr. Steele was also elected county delegate to the next state convention.

The remains of Robert Murray, son of the late Dr. George Murray of Tomah, were brought to this city from Madison for burial on Monday, March 7. Deceased was a student at Wisconsin university when stricken with tuberculosis. He died in a Madison hospital on Friday, March 4.

Couldn't Trap the Lawyer

Man—"I want your opinion on a matter. Would you advise me to borrow $10 to help me out of a tight place?"

Lawyer—"By all means."

Man—"Very good. Lend me ten."

Lawyer—"That's all right. My fee for legal advice is $10 and we'll call it square."

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Scene from "Nightie Night," La Crosse Theater, Tuesday and Wednesday night, March 8 and 9.

SANATORIA WORK FOR HIGH RATING IN BADGER STATE

La Crosse County Institution One of Those Having Consultation Service

Sanatorium consultation service, although practically a new step in Wisconsin's program for bringing its tuberculosis sanatoria up to the highest standard, has developed rapidly since the work was inaugurated by the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association less than a year ago. Trustees of the sanatoria have been quick to recognize the value of this plan and practically every sanatorium in the state has asked for the service, while three of the institutions are already requesting more time than provided in the present arrangement.

The sanatoria, which now have the regular visits of the consultant are: Sunnyview, Winnebago county; Riverview, Ontagamie county; Hickory Grove, Brown county; River Pines Stevens Point; Mount View, Marathon County; Mount Washington, Eau Claire, Willowbrook, Kenosha; The Oaks, Waukesha, Maple Crest, Manitowoc; Oak Forest, La Crosse.

Under the present plan the state consultant, Dr. A. A. Pleyte, a member of the staff of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association visits each sanatorium once a month, spending a day or more consulting and advising with the attending physician, superintendent, patients, board of trustees, and the County Board. Dr. Pleyte was formerly associate medical director of Statesan the state institution at Wales. In some of the counties clinics are held during the visit of the consultant, giving the people of the county an opportunity for a free chest examination and physicians a chance to bring in patients for consultation.

While medical advice is an important phase of the work of the consultant, his duties extend far beyond that of a medical expert. One of the objects of the service is to bring about standardization of methods and closer co-operation between the sanatoria. The consultant, going from sanatorium to sanatorium is able to assist in the solution of common problems, and show how one institution has solved a difficulty, which may be confronting. The education of the patient and those attending him on the true nature of tuberculosis its curability and preventability, is another phase of the work. A lecture and discussion, in which patients are taught that the sanatorium is a real school of health are usually a feature of each visit.

Special attention is given to the patients to promote their contentment and to assist in keeping them at the sanatorium long enough to effect an arrest of the disease. Helping the county trustees on whom rests a large part of the responsibility for the equipment and growth of the institution, is another duty of the consultant.

That the consultation service will result in bringing the highest possible rating to Wisconsin's sanatoria, and set an enviable example to the institutions of other states is predicted by those, who are watching the progress of the work.

True Enough

Not every legend is a fake,
So it would seem,
There's this much true of wedding cake,
It makes you dream.

—Louisville Courier Journal

IN THE MORNING PAPERS
A Summary of the News

WASHINGTON.—A "pronounced" earthquake believed to be about 2,100 miles distant, was recorded early Sunday morning.

CORK. — Brig.-Gen. Cumming, commander of the Kerry district, another officer, and one private were killed when their military convoy was ambushed by 500 men.

LONDON.—Reports are confirmed that revolutionists have seized Kronstadt, the great fortress at the head of the Gulf of Finland, near Petrograd.

BELFAST.—Cardinal Logue, primate of Ireland, appealed for truce throughout Ireland on St. Patrick's birthday.

WASHINGTON. — New regulations for the further restriction of liquor distribution have been drawn up for submission to the new administration.

TOKIO.—Japan will not yield an inch on her mandatorial rights over Yap, an official of the foreign office told an Associated Press representative.

BOSTON, Mass.—Resolutions asking the release of Eugene V. Debs were adopted at a mass meeting.

MEXICO CITY.—Fifteen striking railroad employes who attacked a train enroute from Laredo, were executed.

MACON, Ga. — Railroad crafts throughout the southeast have started taking a strike vote.

MIAMI, Fla.—Another U. S. subchaser arrived to prevent work on the Barbadoes cable.

NEW YORK.—Members of the Actors' Equity association voted for an "equity shop" preventing members of the equity from playing with nonmembers.

NEW YORK. — Churches gained 667,000 members in 1920, according to reports compiled by the Christian Herald.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Five men were arrested connected with the $1,000,000 Toledo mail robbery.

DAWSON, Yukon.—Details of an oil well which produces 1,500 barrels a day were brought from Fort Norman by Canadian police.

BLAINE MARKET BILL IS RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE IN ASSEMBLY

Freehoff Bill Slated for Indefinite Postponement; Opposed by Dairymen

MADISON, Wis.—The administration marketing bill will be reported to the assembly only slightly amended by the agricultural committee, according to Alvin C. Reis, attorney for the division of markets, who drafted the measure. He says that recommendations of Attorney General William Morgan will be accepted by the committee, in his opinion, but that there will be no substitute offered.

Directing power would be supervised by the governor and the attorney general, who would have authority to pass on the actions of the director of the department of markets, under one amendment which it is expected will be proposed. Another amendment will place the appointing power of an attorney for the new department in the hands of the attorney general.

With these two major exceptions, and in a few technical points the bill will be reported as originally drafted with recommendation for passage since the committee itself was responsible for the measure.

Mr. Reis declared that the intent of the bill was to place teeth in the existing law. He explained that it was only slightly broader in its powers than the present marketing law, but that the new provision would give authority to gather evidence and testimony, and to establish a basis for prosecution where at present this authority is lacking.

The Freehoff bill providing for consolidation of the dairy and food commissioner with the department of agriculture as a subordinate division, is expected to be recommended for indefinite postponement because of the opposition of dairy interests.

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INCOME ACCOUNT YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1920

	Total Corporate Income	La Crosse Railway	Winona Railway	Winona Electric	Hatfield & Onalaska Electric
Total Operating Revenues	$770,652.23	$269,074.62	$89,514.43	$294,751.30	$117,311.88
Total Operating Expenses (excl. taxes & depreciation)	$572,937.85	$232,437.49	$70,010.67	$208,391.94	$ 62,097.75
Depreciation	68,988.70	26,852.15	8,951.44	29,475.13	3,709.98
Taxes	35,580.00	7,279.00	3,440.00	10,002.00	14,859.00
Total Operating Expenses	$677,506.55	$266,568.64	$82,402.11	$247,869.07	$ 80,666.73
Net Operating Revenues	$ 93,145.68	$ 2,505.98	$ 7,112.32	$ 46,882.23	$ 36,645.15
Utility Non-Operating Revenues	4,110.08			3,046.51	1,063.57
Total Net Utility Revenues	$ 97,255.76	$ 2,505.98	$ 7,112.32	$ 49,928.74	$ 37,708.72
Corporate Non-Operating Revenues	1,590.07				
Gross Income	$ 98,845.83				
DEDUCTIONS FROM GROSS INCOME:					
Interest on Funded Debt	$122,249.98				
Interest on Floating Debt	18,250.86				
Contractual Sinking Fund Requirements	44,500.00				
Rental of Leased Line	2,660.00				
Total Deductions	$187,660.84				
NET DEFICIT	**$88,815.01**				

CORPORATE PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

CREDITS:	
Credit Balance at beginning of period	$111,311.77
*Certificate of Beneficial Interest	10,100.00
*Syndicate Participation Certificate	25,000.00
Total Credits	$146,411.77
DEBITS:	
Debit balance transferred from Income Account, above	$ 88,815.01
Credit balance at end of year	57,596.76
Total Debits	$146,411.77

*Residue of certificates reverting to reorganizing company.

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31st, 1920.

ASSETS		
PROPERTY AND PLANT—RAILWAY & ELECTRIC UTILITIES:		
Balance, December 31, 1919	$4,276,894.15	
Net Additions, year 1920	78,816.42	$4,355,710.57
TREASURY SECURITIES:		
Treasury Stocks		10,100.00
Treasury Bonds		25,000.00
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash		22,579.53
Accounts Receivable		31,022.40
Materials and Supplies		86,214.08
Prepaid Insurance		7,783.81
OPEN ACCOUNTS:		
Bond Interest Deposits		61,915.00
Other Open Accounts		2,184.10
Total Assets		$4,602,509.53

LIABILITIES	
CAPITAL LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock, Common	$1,230,000.00
Funded Debt	2,445,000.00
CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Notes and Bills Payable	140,000.00
Accounts Payable	224,736.28
Deposits	4,248.43
ACCRUED LIABILITIES:	
Unredeemed Tickets	3,130.42
Taxes Accrued	15,985.58
Unmatured Interest on Funded Debt, Accrued	46,354.13
Unmatured Interest on Floating Debt, Accrued	1,958.11
City Paving—La Crosse	15,597.19
Misc. Liabilities Accrued	40.34
RESERVE LIABILITIES:	
Depreciation Reserve	168,246.20
Sinking Fund Reserve	133,500.00
Special Reserves	54,139.62
OPEN ACCOUNTS:	
Bond Interest Coupons	61,915.00
Other Open Accounts	61.44
Surplus	57,596.76
Total Liabilities	$4,602,509.53

(Signed) H. C. MACKAY, Treasurer.

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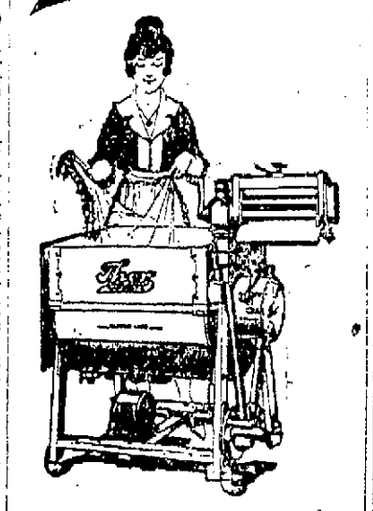

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MINOR LEAGUES NOT SATISFIED WITH NEW B. B. LEGISLATION

President Tearney Says Majors Fail to Offer Logical Argument for Draft

ADVANCEMENT OF PLAYER IN PROFESSION ONLY ARGUMENT

Says Affection Shown Minors at Convention Was Not Sincere

CHICAGO.—The minor leagues are far from being satisfied with the new baseball legislation that makes the draft optional with the leagues, but the fact that Federal Judge Landis is the supreme head of their organizations they believe that justice will be done, according to A. R. Tearney, president of the Western and Three I leagues, in a statement issued here.

President Tearney considers the draft the great evil that confronts the minors and predicts that all of the larger minor leagues will vote to deny the privilege of the major leagues to draft players. The American Association, the Pacific Coast league, the International league and the Western league are among the larger organizations that have voted to reject the draft.

"After three years of anti-draft in which time the National Association experienced its greatest prosperity the leagues are now confronted with legislation that makes the draft optional, President Tearney said.

Fail to Offer Argument

"Up to this time the majors have failed to offer a logical argument in favor of the draft other than advancement of the ball player in his profession. Those of us who are familiar with the situation, know that when a ball player shows marked ability, the majors do not wait for the draft, but purchase him. Then if he does not make good, he is returned to the minors for as much and in a great many instances, for more than the purchase price, with an additional boost in salary, which is a hardship to the minors.

"However, this procedure does not work as serious a handicap on the small leagues as the draft, because of the fact that the players are taken under this rule by the wholesale the majors have no idea of keeping them—but it is their intention to get a claim and then farm them out to the minors so that they may be selected on an option for as much money as was paid for the player. If he improves, he is recalled and on the contrary, if he proves to be of no value, he becomes the property of the minor leagues, which is the curse of the draft. With this situation prevailing, the minors are slowly but surely losing their independence.

Majors Not Sincere

"I am satisfied that the affection shown the minors at the Kansas City convention on the part of the majors was not sincere and the best proof of this opinion is the spirit they displayed at the Chicago meeting when attempting to effect a Major-Minor agreement. The minor leagues have for three years shown a disposition to perfect an arrangement that would be satisfactory to all concerned. Since there are some of the miners in favor of the draft, it was the decision of some of the minors who were attempting to handle it, to bring about a law that would give any minor league the option of accepting the draft and also give a league that did not desire the draft, the same opportunity. Nothing could be more fair than the spirit shown by the minor leagues at the Chicago meeting and in view of certain agreements made by the majors in New York when this matter was thrashed out, and their sudden desire to alter certain parts of the agreement, convinces me that the present major agreement is nothing more or less than a military wedding and will find itself in the divorce courts within a year.

"However, the minor leagues feel thoroughly satisfied with their arrangement in view of the fact that Judge Landis has the final "say" on any matter that interests our organization and we are all satisfied that when the facts are put before him, that justice will be done, and with that in mind, the minor leagues have reason to feel that the new arrangement will work perfectly satisfactory.

"It is my opinion, however, that the draft is the greatest evil that confronts the minor leagues at this time and its danger is doubled by the recent legislation one of the major leagues enacted, taking the ban off the number of farmed and optional players they will place in our clubs.

YANKEES' NEW HOME RUN HOME TAILOR-MADE FOR BABE

NEW YORK.—The Yankees' new two-million dollar park will be tailor-made for Babe Ruth and his home run swing.

It will be a home run manufacturing plant.

When the switch is made in two years Babe will find his new home run home all set for him to manufacture homers in.

The right field of the new establishment will be an exact duplicate of the one at the Polo Grounds where Babe has learned so well to measure the distance for his home run aim.

From home plate to right field via the foul line in the Polo Grounds is a distance of 252 feet.

Each time Babe starts up steam to swing his favorite home run stick he has to wallop the horsehide that far.

From home plate to left field in the Polo Grounds is 278 feet. But Babe seldom swings that way.

In the new park the same distances between home plate and the various parts of the field will conform with the Polo Grounds measurements.

"It's true we're going to look out especially for right field," says Colonel Houston.

Exact Duplicate

"Everything in that part of the lot will be an exact duplicate of the Polo Grounds so Babe won't feel strange and out of place when he steps up to sock one.

"But there'll be one disadvantage to the new park which will bring many sighs from the Yankee fans.

"The right field wall will be 20 feet higher than the one at the Polo Grounds.

"Which will make it almost impossible for Babe or any other slugger to "knock 'em over."

"Home runs will have to hit into the right field stands—not over the wall."

"It gives Bambino a new mark to shoot at. That's what he'll be trying to do, too.

"Babe wants to hit 75 home runs this year. The 54 he got last season has only made him keen.

"I wouldn't be surprised to see him do it."

JEWTRAW WINNER OF THE INTERNATIONAL CIRCUIT ICE EVENT

Three Meets Comprising the Canadian, National and International Were Held

LAKE PLACID, N. Y.—Charles Jewtraw, national amateur speed skating champion was the winner of the greatest number of points in the international circuit skating events which closed here recently.

The three meets comprising the circuit were the Canadian, held at Montreal; the National, held at Saranac Lake, and the International, held here at Lake Placid. The Western skaters did not compete in the Canadian meet in which Jewtraw finished second to Russell Wheeler, of Montreal, having a total of 80 points. At Saranac Lake Jewtraw carried off the National championship with a total of 120 points. At the recent International meet here he added 70 points, making his total for the three meets, 270.

Gorman, Second

Ranking next in the total number of points is Charles I. Gorman of St. Johns, N. B. who has 200. He earned 70 in the Canadian meet, 70 in the National meet and 60 in the International. Joe Moore, of New York city, winner of the International title is third with a total of 150, capturing 20 in the Canadian meet, 30 in the National meet and 100 in the International.

Roy McWhirter of Chicago, who did not skate in the Canadian meet, has a total of 150, having won 90 in the National meet and 60 in the International. Russell Wheeler of Montreal, who won the Canadian championship with a total of 80 points, has a circuit total of 100; scoring nothing at Saranac Lake and adding but 10 points at the International meet here.

Fully Dressed

"All right, back there?" called the conductor from the front of the car.

"Hold on!" came a feminine voice. "Wait till I get my clothes on."

The entire carful turned and craned their necks expectantly. A girl got on with a basket of laundry.—Sovereign Visitor.

Government's Big Fleet of Autos

More than half of the vehicles used in the United States postal service are of the automobile type. Through the further improvement of the roads and highways traversed it would be possible to convey an average of 1,[illegible] pounds per day, whereas the [illegible] 21 pounds.

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SEE THE MAN. IS THE MAN PLAY-ING STAT-UE? NO, THE MAN IS IN DEEP STUDY. IS THE MAN TRY-ING TO SAVE THE WORLD FROM BOL-SHE-VISM? NO, HE IS TRY-ING TO THINK OF A WAY TO TAKE THREE MEN AND YET LOSE BUT ONE. IS THIS AN HON-OR-A-BLE WAY TO SPEND ONE'S TIME? OH YES, THE CHAM-PI-ON AT THIS GAME RANKS NEXT IN SO-CIAL PO-SI-TION TO THE CON-STA-BLE, THE POST-MAS-TER AND THE JUS-TICE OF THE PEACE.

BASKETBALL

Saturday's Scores

Wisconsin, 18; Minnesota, 12.
Michigan, 26; Ohio, 22.
Purdue, 21; Iowa, 18.
Pennsylvania, 48; Yale, 13.
Princeton, 37; Columbus, 13.
Grinnell, 22; Washington, 11.
Kansas, 37; Oklahoma, 32.
West Virginia, 30; W. and J., 26.
Nebraska, 37; Ames, 11.
Colorado 26; Denver, 11.
Chicago, 29; Illinois, 26.

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CANADIANS SEEK RICKARD'S ANSWER TO $700,000 OFFER

July 2 Tentatively Arranged as Date for Dempsey-Carpentier Championship Bout

NEW YORK.—Canadian promoters interested in holding the proposed Dempsey-Carpentier championship match at Montreal, were here Monday to get promoter Rickard's answer to their offer of $700,000. They have tentatively set July 2 as the date for the bout.

C. F. Graham, representing the Canadian syndicate interested in the match said he would be able to satisfy Rickard that the bout could be held in Montreal without interference.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS AT 200 CLAY TARGETS

Titles Have Been Shot for in Past at Either 100 or 300 Targets

At the meeting of the Amateur Board of control of trapshooting with the executive committee of the A. T. A., a change was made in the conditions governing competitions for individual state championship honors at single targets in 1921.

From 1914 to 1918, inclusive, state championships were decided on 100 single targets. At the meeting of the old Interstate Association in 1918, it was decided to make the conditions 300 single targets, and the state championships of 1919 and 1920 were decided at that number of targets. Now a change has been made once more, and the state championships this year will be at 200 targets.

A glance at recent past history of these championships shows that in 1914 two men broke 100 straight. They were James Higgins of Colorado and L. C. Richards of Virginia. In 1915 A. R. Richardson of Delaware, H. L. Smith of West Virginia, and H. J. Holland of Missouri broke their 100 targets. In 1916 no less than seven ran 100 straight in their respective championship competitions. These were: H. Pfirrman, California; R. A. King, Colorado; C. G. Burmeister, Illinois; William Bibley, Iowa; H. J. Pendergast, New York; Allen Heil, Pennsylvania, and A. P. Bigelow of Utah. In 1917 four men made their centuries: C. A. Galbraith, Michigan; C. R. Platt, New Jersey; H. J. Pendergast, New York, and Roy McIntire, Pennsylvania. In 1918 there were two: Fred Blair of California and Geo. L. Osborn of Massachusetts.

In 1919 and 1920 when the contests were at 300 targets, the following were high scores: In 1919 Woolfolk Henderson of Kentucky and Frank M. Troch of Washington with 298 apiece. Last year M. E. Dewire of Indiana, was in first place alone with 296.

The Dog Derby

The fourth Hudson Bay Dog Derby will be held from the Pas, Man., to Fort Flon, a distance of 200 miles, on March 1. This race is open to the world. To the winner will be given $2,500. It is expected that at least 10 dog teams will start. Ten teams started last year. The 1920 race was won by Walter Goyen, in 13 hours and 41 minutes. While dog racing is a sport peculiarly northern people the world over are interested in and thousands make it a point to witness the event. Dog racing is a He-man's sport.

Commercial Travelers' Gun Club

H. T. McClung, of 616 Madison Street, Lynchburg, Va., is organizing a United Commercial Travelers' Gun Club, the membership to consist of commercial travelers. Traveling men are very much interested in shooting and shooting exhibitions. They are real boosters. The Topperweins in their travels have met thousands of commercial travelers, and those who have witnessed the exhibitions of the Topperweins have told fellow salesmen, and every place the Topperweins shoot you can find nearly all the salesmen who happen to be in that town that day. Recently a Gun Club of Physicians was formed in New Haven, Conn. It might be interesting to know that four per cent of the men who participate in registered trapshooting events are physicians.

A. A. BALL PLAYERS REPORT BY MARCH 15 FOR TRAINING

ST. PAUL, Minn.—March 15 has been set as the last day for recruits and regulars of the St. Paul American association baseball club to report at Dawson Springs, Ky., for spring training, it was announced here today. Several of the batterymen are now on their way to camp from various parts of the country.

No Chance to Learn

"There!" exclaimed 6-year-old Bernice, throwing down a book, "I just ain't going to school another day."

"Why," asked her mother, "what's the matter?"

"It's no use wasting time," replied the little miss. "I can't never learn to spell. The teacher just keeps changing the words every day."—Detroit News.

NOTRE DAME GRID MENTOR IS ADVERSE TO RADICAL FOOTBALL RULE REVISION

CHICAGO, Ill.—Asserting he is not in favor of any radical changes in the football rules, Knute Rockne, coach of the last year's undefeated Notre Dame eleven, left yesterday for New York to attend the meeting of coaches and officials called by Coach Charley Daly of West Point for today.

According to Coach Rockne, the Army gridiron mentor will ask for expressions of opinion from all present relative to hitting upon some ideas to be suggested at the annual meeting of the rules committee next Saturday. Coach Daly sent notices of the meeting to coaches throughout the country, but, as far as is known, Rockne is the only representative of the middle west who will attend.

"I am not in favor of any radical changes," Rockne said yesterday on the train coming to Chicago from Urbana, where the Illinois relays were decided Saturday night. "The public, which supports the game, understands the rules as they govern play at the present time, and I see no good reason to change them.

"I am set against the idea of determining length of games by the number of plays. Such a move would tend to slow up the game fearfully as there would be a conference of the team in possession of the ball after every formation. We would have to start our contests much earlier, and there would not be the action, which the public is so fond of.

"I am not in favor of Coach Yost's suggestion that a fumbled ball go to the team at the spot of recovery, and no run be allowed. It is this unexpected which keeps the spectators so interested, and I am not in favor of doing anything which might decrease this interest. From the beginning of the season until it closes coaches harp on the necessity of holding on to the ball, and if any team fumbles it should take the consequences.

"I do believe, however, that some action should be taken regarding muckling the ball. There are a number of teams in the middle west which go after the ball or the arm encircling it. I claim this is unsportsmanlike, and should be penalized accordingly. The forward pass cannot be improved upon. I am going to stand pat for the game as it is now played."

LET GEORGE DO IT!

GEORGE McBRIDE

Clark Griffith won't sit in the old bird house much this season.

He's turned things over officially to George McBride, his veteran shortstop.

Let George do it!

Foxy Griff assumed the duties of president of the Nationals last year but delayed naming his successor.

He couldn't have chosen a man who'll be respected more highly around the American league lanes than George McBride.

George has 20 years of professional baseball experience behind him. He is a Milwaukeean by birth—just 40 years ago. He broke in with his home-town club in the American Association in 1901.

After several trips around Western league diamonds he landed with the Washington club in 1908. He was never a great hitter but his fielding at short was brilliant.

Walter Johnson is the only Nat to outrank him in veteranship.

They've always been buddies.

George will take his ball club to Tampa.

INSIDER SAYS

Larry Gardner has a flourishing garage business at Enosburg, Vt.

Larry once tried the cranberry racket. They turned out to be razzberries.

Ty Cobb reported five days before the season opened in 1911 and only hit .420 that year.

Owner Shibe of the Athletics doesn't want to go to training camp. Mrs. Shibe does. He'll go.

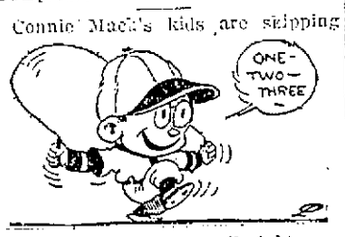
A lotta people have Ty Cobb doped wrong. His favorite sport is hunting.

Will Doc Lasker and Capablanca be ready for the gun to start them moving March 10? Chess!

Ted Ray will return from England to defend his national open golf title this summer.

Rastlers are the most cocky fellows in the world. They never tumble to the idea that they aren't the real champions.

Connie Mack's kids are skipping



rope. Yes, they're kids, all right.

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THREE TEAMS MAY TIE FOR BIG TEN BASKETBALL TITLE

Either Michigan or Illinois Will Be Tied With Purdue After Urbana Game Monday

BIG TEN STANDING

	W.	L.	Pct.
Purdue	8	4	.666
Illinois	7	4	.636
Wisconsin	7	4	.636
Michigan	7	4	.636
Indiana	6	4	.600
Chicago	6	6	.500
Minnesota	5	5	.500
Iowa	5	5	.500
Ohio	2	9	.182
Northwestern	1	9	.100

CHICAGO, Ill.—Whether Illinois or Michigan will tie with Purdue for the Big Ten basketball championship will be decided tonight when the Wolverines and the Illini end their schedule in a battle at Urbana. The winner will climb alongside the Boilermakers, and then wait for the outcome of the Wisconsin-Ohio State game tomorrow to see whether the Badgers also will crowd into a tie for first place.

Illinois lost its chance for a clean cut title by falling before Chicago Saturday in a hard fought battle. Had Coach Winter's team defeated the Maroons, the Orange and Blue would now be one-half a game ahead of Purdue and could win the title with a full game margin by defeating Michigan.

Michigan the Sensation

The rise of Michigan from a tail end position to the first flight is the real sensation this season. The Wolverines lost four of their first five games, and in one game on their own floor looked pitiful scoring only one basket against the weak Ohio State team. Since then, Coach Mather's quintet has won six straight.

That Wisconsin will end its season in a tie with Purdue and the winner of the Illinois-Michigan game appears a certainty. The Badgers face Ohio State at Madison tomorrow, and should mow down the Buckeyes in easy fashion. Coach Meanwell's fast bunch of passers defeated Ohio, 42 to 25, at Columbus recently.

Season Near Windup

Indiana and Minnesota meet tonight at Bloomington in a game that will be important only in the relative position of the two teams, both of which were in the race until the last few days.

The conference schedule winds up when Northwestern plays at Minnesota Saturday and at Iowa next Monday.

ELKS' BOWLING LEAGUE

The Antlers won a postponed set from the Moonshiners on Saturday, taking the three games. Erickson rolled high total among the members of the teams, hitting 212, 179 and 164.

Moonshiners			
Ganter	170	145	144
Loeffler	144	132	146
Lehman	132	173	137
Low score	117	115	134
Peak	168	130	127
Handicap	88	98	105
Totals	814	794	793
Antlers			
Erickson	212	179	164
Frisch	179	156	179
Von Weld	147	115	134
Davy	150	173	156
Dietz	151	192	158
Handicap	59	45	54
Totals	808	860	815

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DEMPSEY REFEREES MISKE-LODGE BOUT AT MINNEAPOLIS

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Jack Dempsey, world's champion heavyweight, who is filling a week's vaudeville engagement in Minneapolis, will referee tonight's ten-round no-decision bout here between Billy Miske, St. Paul heavyweight, and Farmer Lodge, Minneapolis. Miske will weigh about 180 pounds, while Lodge is about forty pounds heavier.

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WANTED—Two experienced machine operators to run two needle machines. Martin Bros. Co. 3 6 11

COMPETENT maid for second work. Must have references. 1431 King St. Mr. F. P. Hixon. 3 3 14

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COMPETENT first cook and ward girl. Inquire Oak Forest Sanitarium. 2 24 tf

WANTED—Middle aged housekeeper. Address E. O., Tribune. 3 5 7

WANTED—Housekeeper for farm. 606, care Tribune. 3 4 7

COOK WANTED—Home Restaurant, 115 So. 5th. 2 22 3 7

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WANTED—Maids. Jefferson Hotel. 3 5 7

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HOUSE and lot for sale. Call 2062-C. 3 5 7

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THE NORTHWEST quarter of Section 6 in Jefferson Township, Vernon County, Wisconsin. 6-room Brick House and Summer Kitchen, Hay Barn 26x84 with a 16x60 lean to for cows; Hay Barn 20x22 with a lean to 16x22 for horses and a lean to 11x22 for young stock; Tobacco Shed 28x72; Granary 20x26; Double Corn Crib 22 ft. long; Wagon Shed 18x28; Chicken House, together with personal property, as follows: 4 horses, 23 cows, 6 young stock, 5 brood sows, 65 chickens, 2 wagons, buggie, surey, bobsleigh, 2 lots work harness, 2 walking plows, 3 section harrow, grain seeder, disc, grain binder, grass mower, hay rake, hay loader, tobacco planter, sulky cultivator, 2 one-horse cultivators, cream separator, 100 bu. oats, 350 bu. corn and hay, 10,000 feet lumber. This is one of the finest Ridge Farms in the Town of Jefferson, and is priced to sell. See or now T. J. Thorson and Son, Westby, Wisconsin. 3 5 7

THINK OF IT, a $200,000 farm for $25,000. That's what it would bring in southern Wisconsin. 483 acres, known as the Judge Hooker estate, with several thousand dollars worth of equipment. Free list. Ellis Bros., Inc., Springville, N. Y. 3 4 7

COLLECTIONS

CLAIMS COLLECTED on percentage or bought outright. Commercial Service Bureau, 214 Newburg Bldg. 5 8 tf

SEWING MACHINES

SHUTTLES, needles and repairs for every make sewing machine on hand. Repairing done promptly. H. Kathary, 1002 S. 4th. Phone 2273-M. 12 29 3mo

Help Wanted—Male and Female

CLERKS, (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $120 monthly. Examinations March. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of instruction, write R. Terry, (former Civil Service examiner) 623 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 3 6 7

Situation Wanted—Female

WORK WANTED by woman of intelligence. Will do any kind of work, but preferably sewing or factory work. Call 891, the Associated Charities. 3 4 7

FOR SALE

CENTRAL Ill. 6x3 coal, $9.00; Pocahontas Lump, $14.50; nut hard coal, $19.00; 4 ft. oak wood, per cord, $12.00. Tenneson Fuel Co. Phone 319. 2 27 tf

FOR SALE—One Cyphers Incubator (Standard of the world) Capacity 150 to 200 eggs. Good condition. 1214 Ferry St. 3 5 7

FOR SALE—A No. 1 team of work horses. Also 4 Rouen ducks. Henry Denison, State Road. Call 2612-M 3 5 7

FOR SALE—Universal coal and wood Kitchen Range. Excellent condition. 117 No. 10th St. Phone 770-M. 3 7 8

FOR SALE—Hampton, upright, mahogany Piano. At a bargain if taken at once. F. Stevens, 425 So. 2nd. 3 7 10

FOR SALE—Hot bed, garden, lawn and flower bed manure. Jos. H. Poehling, Draying. Phone 2316. 3 3 16

FOR SALE—Misse's navy blue serge Suit. Size 34. Good condition, cheap. Call 687-M. 3 7 8

FOR SALE—1 Creators popcorn machine. Can be seen at Levy's Confectionery. 3 5 11

FOR SALE—Bicycle, new tires, coaster brakes. Good condition. 226 West Ave. No. 3 6 7

DRAFT HORSES and farm mares. Phone 2201-A. 527 King. 2 16 1mo

BURROUGHS adding machine. Hosley's Cigar Store, 313 Main. 2 25 1mo

IRON BED, large round stove, reed baby buggy. 929 Ferry. 3 6 7

FOR SALE—Small Estey organ, mornings only. 928 King. 3 7 10

FOR SALE—¼ h. p. electric motor, 110 volts. Call 1848M. 3 6 7

FURNITURE FOR SALE. Leaving town. 420 So. 6th. 2 6 7

FOR SALE—1 pool table, inquire 1200 La Crosse street. 3 5 11

FOR SALE—Reed Baby Carriage. Phone 1715-C. 3 6 8

FOR SALE—Dry hard wood. Call 477-C. 3 4 5

GIRLS bicycle. 305 So. 5th, after six. 3 5 7

RUMMAGE SALE, 1128 State. 3 6 7

FOR RENT—ROOMS

ONE MODERN furnished city heated light housekeeping Room with Kitchenette and laundry privileges. Suitable for 2 young ladies, 419 Cass. 3 7 9

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen or married couples, strictly modern. 813 Cass street. 3 5 7

FOR RENT—Two desirable furnished rooms, 1328 State. Phone 887-C. 3 5 7

FOR RENT—City heated light housekeeping rooms, 322 So. 4th. 3 7 9

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms, 417 State. 3 7 13

MODERN FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, 224 So. 3. 3 7 9

FOR RENT—Nice heated rooms. 321 No. 6, men preferred. 3 5 7

LIGHT Housekeeping rooms, 2nd floor, Tribune Bldg. 3 7 8

FURNISHED room. Gentleman preferred. 220 So. 8. 3 5 7

FOR RENT—Modern furnished Room. 217 So. 7. 3 7 8

FURNISHED ROOMS. 324 West Ave. So. 3 4 8

For Rent—Houses and Flats

FOR RENT—7-room House, modern, close in. Inquire 1019 Div. 3 7 13

THREE-ROOM flat. Inquire L. Nathenson & Co., 115 Pearl. 3 2 11

For Rent—Miscellaneous

RENT—A full top floor, well lighted, 80x30. Newly decorated. Modern, suitable for a business or lodge room or organization meetings. Apply La Crosse Locators, 207 Main. 2 15 tf

RENT—Your choice of two locations for store business, living rooms in connection. Investigate. La Crosse Locators, 207 Main. 2 15 tf

FOR RENT—Good dairy farm 8 miles from La Crosse. 1518 Winn. 3 4 10

POULTRY AND PETS

R. C. BROWN Leghorn hatching eggs, $7.00 per hundred; one Racine incubator; good as new; New Zealand Rabbits, one year old. John Schriver, 400 So. Third. Phone 884-M. 3 4 7

SETTING EGGS from Fullblood White Rocks, $1.50 per 15. Also 2 fine White Rock Cockerels, $5.00 each. John Dummer. 1306 So. 7th. Phone 1982-M 3 7 12

BOOK orders early for eggs and chicks. From my prize winning S. C. R. I. Reds. H. A. Fischer, La Crosse, Wis. Phone 1507-M 137 Jackson. 2 16 2mos

SINGLE COMB White Leghorns hatching eggs. Heavy laying farm raised stock. $5.00 per 100. John Beitlich, Stoddard, Wis. 2 26 3 11

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington hatching eggs, 504 Johnson. 1288-C. 3 6 7

SITUATION WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Clerical or other work for evenings by young man. Telephone 891. 3 4 7

WANTED—Position by experienced fireman. Call 1202-M. 3 7 8

MISCELLANEOUS

ART "NOOK" STUDIO—Photos, developing, printing, enlarging, copying. Clyde Goodell, Prop., 125 So. Third St., Room 10, La Crosse, Wis. 3 4 10

$10.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Doyer-Furber Furniture Company 1 1 18 tf

MASON WORK and plastering. 616 St. Paul St.

sun mon tues wed 4 wks

EXPERIENCED dressmaker. 627 Vine. Phone 1262-C. 3 2 8

PARCELS delivered to all parts of city. Call 677-A. 3 7 12

WOOD SAWING—Call 2140-A. 3 4 7

WANT TO BUY

OLD CLOTHING WANTED—We pay the highest prices for men's cast off clothing. I am positively here in town till Saturday night. Phone at once 861-A. Call Zezblatt. 3 7 12

WE BUY OAK AND BASSWOOD LUMBER AND PAY CASH ON DELIVERY.

SEGELKE & KOHLHAUS MFG. CO.

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand auto engine about 20 H. P. Give description and price. Address "K.," Tribune. 3 4 10

WANTED—Box for Ford roadster, not over 5 feet long. Address V. Z., 528 So. 3rd. 3 3 7

WANT TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Small apartment, furnished or partly furnished. Now or near future. Refined couple. Phone 865-M. 3 7 8

WANTED—Five or six-room lower flat or house—modern. N. Y. Z., Tribune and Leader-Press. 1 16 tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A poor woman with three children to support, lost her last five dollar bill on March 5. The small black purse containing it was lost probably between the court house and Erickson's bakery. Finder please telephone 891 or return to the Associated Charities' office. 3 4 7

LOST—Small black velvet handbag with beaded top containing sum of money and calling cards; near Rivoli Theater, Sat. night. Finder call 573. Reward. 2 7 7

LOST—Red hound with white stripe on breast, white feet. 1903 Island. Call 249. Reward. 3 6 7

LOST—Small black purse containing key and change. Call 1040-M. 2 27 28

LOST—Gold wrist watch Wednesday night. Call 188-C. Reward. 3 6 9

AUTOMOBILES

RADIATORS—Why not have them repaired the right way? We are radiator men—not tinners. "In the radiator business since 1900." All work guaranteed. La Crosse Auto Radiator Service, 108 S. Second St. Phone 512. 7 24 tf

"BIG 4" BATTERIES

Sales and service station. We repair and charge all makes of batteries. Batteries called for and stored.

WENDLING BROS. 4th and Pearl Sts.

FROZEN and leaky radiators. We repair them the right way. 12 years' experience in Chicago. Work guaranteed. Badger Auto Radiator Works, 718 Pearl. Phone 285. 3 2 tf

TWO FORD Roadsters, one with delivery box, one Cadillac Six, 7-passenger and other used cars. Call 210 So. 4th or phone 494-R. 3 5 7

FOR SALE—Studebaker Six with starter $500.00. Studebaker truck $200.00. Ford truck $150.00. Phone 479. 3 2 8

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, A-1 condition. Phone 2035-C. 3 5 7

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE LOWEST RATE OF INTEREST FRIES-NIEBUHR AGENCY, ROOMS 309-12 NEWBURG BUILDING

DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK.—Liberty bonds at noon today:

3½s	91.02	Third 4¼s	90.25
First 4s	86.90	Fourth 4¼s	87.08
Second 4s	86.63	Victory 3¾s	97.48
First 4¼s	86.92	Victory 4¾s	97.50
Second 4¼s	86.88		

STOCK MARKET STRONG

NEW YORK—The stock market Monday enjoyed a general advance in shippings, metal, leather, tobacco and utility issues. Coal shares were strong. Central Railway of New Jersey advanced eight points on rumors of early announcement of the separation plan, but standard rails of the granger, cotton and transcontinental divisions were neglected. Atlantic Gulf rose 3 points. American International 1¼ and Retail Stores, Cuba Cane Sugar, California Packing and Corn Products rose 1 point each. Bethlehem, Crucible, Republic and United States Steels were in demand, and oils made extended gains, Standard Oil of New Jersey rising four points. Call money was plentiful at seven percent and exchange on the European allied countries strengthened substantially.

Trading on the stock exchange at the outset of the session pointed to a continuance of last week's listless and irregular market, but dealings became more active and the undertone strengthened to a pronounced extent within the first half hour. Oils, steels and motors were the objects of bullish attention, Atlantic Gulf, Royal Dutch, Mexican Petroleum and General Asphalt rising 1 to 2½ points. Baldwin Locomotive, Bethlehem Steel, Chandler, Studebaker and Otis Elevator comprised the other firm to strong issues. Exchange on London was moderately higher despite adverse cables from that center regarding the course of the reparations conference.

Shorts sold freely in the last hour on unfavorable news from London. Virtually all previous gains were effaced and net losses of 1 to 3 points were numerous. The closing was heavy.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; fat cattle slow to 25c lower; top beef steers early $10.35; some held higher; bulk $8.50 and $10.00; bulk butcher she stock, $6.00 and $7.50; bulls largely $5.25 and 6.00; calves mostly 50c lower; bulk vealers $10.00 and $11.00 stockers and feeders, slow.

Hogs—Receipts, 61,000; mostly 15 and 25c lower than Saturday's average; lights off least; heavies slow; others active; top, $10.80; bulk, 200 lbs down, $10.50 and $10.75; bulk, 220 lbs up $9.65 and $10.15; pigs, steady to 15c; pigs, steady to 15c lower; bulk desirable, 80 to 120 lbs around $10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 26,000; fat lambs week to 25c lower; sheep about steady; lamb top early $10.25 to shippers; good 82-lb shorn lamb, $8.50; bulk fat lambs early $9.00 and $9.50; choice, 98-lb. shorn yearlings, $6.50; fat ewe, top early $5.75; bulk fat ewes, $5.00 and $5.50.

WHEAT MARKET VARIABLE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Rains southwest, especially in Kansas where there was particular need of moisture, led to lower prices Monday for wheat. Country offerings however, remained light, and European political news was disturbing to the bears. As a result, sellers became less numerous after the initial trading, and the market rallied. Opening prices which ranged from ⅛ to 1¼c lower with March $1.70 and May $1.61 and $1.61¼ were followed by moderate further setbacks and then by upturns to somewhat above the range at the start.

Word that the allies would inflict penalties on Germany failed to lift prices. Instead, proposed military action on the part of the allies was given a bearish construction by numerous traders in the late dealings. The close was heavy, 2⅝ and 3⅛c net lower, with March $1.67½ and May $1.59 and $1.59¼.

Corn swayed with wheat. There was a good demand from the seaboard. After opening unchanged to ⅛c lower, including May 71 and 71⅛c, the market sagged a little further and then rallied to about Saturday's finish.

In the last part of the day corn eased off when wheat turned downward. The close was unsettled, ⅜c to ⅝c net lower, with May 70⅝ and 71c.

Oats paralleled the action of other cereals, starting a shade to ⅛c off, May 46c and weakened a trifle more previous to taking the upgrade.

Lower quotations on hogs and a depressing effect on provisions.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Mar	1.70¼	1.70¼	1.67¼	1.67⅝
May	1.61	1.62¼	1.59	1.59
CORN—				
May	71	71¼	70⅝	70⅝
July	73⅛	73⅝	73	73
OATS—				
May	46	46¼	45⅝	45⅝
July	46⅞	47	46½	46⅝
PORK—				
May	22.00	22.00	21.85	21.85
LARD—				
May	12.20	12.25	12.17	12.22
July	12.52	12.65	12.55	12.60
RIBS—				
May	11.67	11.82	11.67	11.75
July	12.12			12.12

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Weak; receipts, 21 cars; Northern white, sacked, $1.20 and $1.30 cwt; bulk, $1.20 and $1.35 cwt; Idaho rurals, sacked, $2 cwt; Russets, $2.50 cwt.

Public Debate

A NATIONAL AGREEMENT

La Crosse Wis., Feb. 23, 1921.

Editor, Tribune and Leader-Press, La Crosse, Wis.

Dear Sir: In your issue of February 20, 1921, under the heading "Something Else Again" you state "that there are serious flaws in the national railroad working agreements cannot be successfully challenged."

Exception can well be taken to that statement and, while agreeing with you that the agreements are not "letter-perfect" the contention of the railroad executives, that they are sometimes clumsy or ridiculous due to variations of local conditions, is not justified. Your last paragraph in which it is stated "the public will be the final arbiter" leads to the conclusion that, in order to intelligently act as arbiter, full knowledge as to the motives underlying the present tremendous attack on the railroad workers, must be placed before the public, together with an outline of what the agreements contain.

The railroad executives some time ago stated in one of their reports that they had access to and would use ten thousand papers in the United States, including over two thousand daily newspapers, to put forth their views, thereby molding public opinion. This public opinion has been molded ever since the government, in order to win the war, was forced to operate the railroads as a unit. Indeed, it has been molded so intensively that it has become "mouldy" and is now being given a proper airing through that part of the ten thousand papers not absolutely controlled by "Big Business." The public wants the truth and it will get it, though sometimes long delayed and after irreparable damage has been done.

I have before me several of the "terrible" "national agreements" and for the purpose of setting forth the rules contained therein and at the same time putting it in such shape that the public will be in a position to understand the present state of affairs, it will be necessary to give a brief outline of conditions as they were and as they now are.

I will take the "Railway Clerk's and Freight Handler's" national agreement as an example, because when that agreement was signed and put into effect, Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Locomotive Engineers pronounced it the best agreement from the railroad workers' standpoint that he had ever read.

Before the war, the "clerk," to a very great extent had no "rights." They worked for what was offered and put in as many hours as were necessary to do the work. They were hired and fired to the heart's content of the official or straw boss in charge and had no redress. For wages they received—well, they were the most underpaid and hardest worked in the railroad service that required ability to perform. Conditions remained about the same except that increased wages did not keep up with increased living costs during the "carnival of the profiteers." September 1, 1918, when Supplement No. 7 was issued defining the hours of work and other conditions, marks a mile stone for the "clerks." It established the eight-hour day and provided that no discrimination shall be made for membership or non-membership in a union. That was the first hard blow received by these "union-hating" executives who knew that the increased wages bound to result through organization of the underpaid railroad workers could be passed on to the public, but the loss of power to arbitrarily foist their will upon defenseless individuals had gone forever.

But the railroad administration found that it was nearly impossible and highly undesirable to have the fundamental rules differ in different parts of the country and in some cases in the same locality, so the national agreement was signed and shortly thereafter the railroads were returned to private operation under the provisions of the Cummins-Esch transportation act.

Under the provisions of the transportation act the present labor board was appointed consisting of three members each of the railroad executives, railroad brotherhoods and subordinate officials and the public, a total of nine members.

Wage increases pending in some cases nearly a year were taken up shortly after the formation of the board. On July 20, 1920, after due deliberation, a wage increase was granted, and in their decision it was stated that "the board assumed as the basis of their decision the continuance in full force and effect of the rules, working conditions and agreements in force under the authority of the United States railroad administration."

Both the railroad executives and the brotherhoods have filed with the labor board applications to have the rules changed or modified. The board, having decided all matters before it relating to wages, was ready to take up working conditions and announced that on January 10, 1921, that the matter would be gone into. The railroad executives at once made the contentions that the national agreements were driving the railroads into bankruptcy and on January 31, 1921, after three weeks of presentation of evidence of their side, demanded that the entire set of agreements be abrogated and the working rules and conditions of December 31, 1917, be in force again, and it was demanded that such action be taken without the brotherhoods having a chance to state their case.

On February 10, 1921, the labor board rendered a decision declining to abrogate the national agreements without proper hearing, stating that "to make such a decision without evidence and careful consideration would be an abdication of the functions of this board and would frustrate the purpose of the transportation act." The brotherhoods' contentions will be heard beginning March 10th. Before stating what the brotherhoods expect to bring out in the hearing to begin on March 10th, it will be necessary to state the rules of the "clerk's" national agreement and the public will then be in a position to judge if the rules are "clumsy and inefficient" as stated in your editorial, and if the contentions of the railroad executives that the rules are frequently "clumsy and ridiculous" due to variations in local conditions can be maintained. Although it is a rather long agreement, it will be necessary to state the provision of each rule.

Rule 1.—Enumerates the class of employes subject to the "clerks" rules.

Rule 2 and 3.—States that the national agreement supersedes agreements in conflict, making provisions that agreements in effect with other organizations can only be annulled by a majority of the employes concerned.

Rule 4.—Gives a definition as to what work must be done to be considered a clerk, the main provision being that an employe devote not less than four hours per day to work in which reading or writing is required.

Rule 5.—Relates to seniority and states when seniority begins.

Rule 6.—Provides the method of promotion in which seniority governs, provided the employe has sufficient ability to fill the position.

Rule 7.—Provides that seniority districts of defined limits be established between the management and employes.

Rule 8.—Provides for the filling of vacancies and new positions through the operation of the seniority rules.

Rule 9.—Provides that employes do not lose their seniority if they decline promotion or decline to bid for a position.

Rule 10.—Provides that an employe awarded a bulletined position will be allowed 30 days to qualify and if failing retains his seniority but can only be re-employed by bidding on other bulletined positions.

Rule 11.—Provides for the filling through bulletin of positions made vacant account the employe having accepted a position under Rule 10.

Rule 12.—States the time limits of the bulletins; bulletin to show the location, title, hours of service and rates of pay for the position on bulletin, the rule not to apply to laborers.

Rule 13.—States that in order to keep work going in case of a sudden vacancy a position may be filled temporarily pending an assignment and if no applications are received may be permanently filled without regard to these rules.

Rule 14.—States that vacancies of less than 30 days' duration need not be bulletined.

Rule 15.—States that if a vacancy is of indefinite duration it need not be bulletined until after the expiration of 30 days.

Rule 16.—States that vacancies known to be of more than 30 days' duration must be bulletined at once.

Rule 17.—Provides that when a change in the rate of pay is made by the railroad officials that the position affected will be considered a new one and must be bulletined. This rule avoids favoritism.

Rule 18.—States that any employe returning after leave of absence may exercise his seniority rights to any position bulletined during his absence.

Rule 19.—States that if more than one position is open at the same time employes may bid on any one or all stating preference.

Rule 20.—States that if a starting time is changed more than one hour for six consecutive days the employe may within 10 days thereafter "bump" a junior employe.

Rule 21.—States that in reducing forces seniority shall govern and in increasing forces employes shall be returned to work in the order of their seniority.

Rule 22.—Relates to the method and time of the posting of seniority rosters. An operating division is the unit outside of general offices for each class of employes.

Rule 23.—States that laborers' seniority will not apply until in the service six months.

Rules 24, 25 and 26.—Provide for the transfer from one district or roster to another and the consolidation of offices or departments.

Rule 27.—States that if a position is abolished the employe affected may "bump" a junior employe.

Rule 28.—States that if an employe voluntarily leaves the service he be considered a new employe if he re-enters.

Rule 29.—States that if promoted to a position of an official character, all rights are retained.

Rule 30.—The management must decide within 60 days whether a new employe is qualified to remain in the service.

Rule 31.—States that the exercise of seniority in reducing forces is subject to Rule 6.

Rule 32.—Provides for investigation in case of discipline or dismissal within seven days of date when charged with an offense. The employe may be represented by an employe of his choice. A decision to be rendered within seven days.

Rule 33.—States that an employe dissatisfied with the decision has the right to appeal within seven days to the next higher operating officer. Hearing must be granted within seven days and a decision rendered within seven days after completion of hearing.

Rule 34.—Provides how appeal can be taken to the next higher official within ten days and hearing held within ten days and after completion of the hearing, a decision must be rendered within five days.

Rule 35.—Provides that if it is necessary to take further appeal such appeal must be made within 20 days after the date of the last decision. (Note—I will here state that according to the methods of procedure outlined above, that it must be evident to the public that an appeal must be made to an impartial board of some kind to settle all disputes not agreed upon by the employes and the management. This is provided in the labor board, through the grand lodge officers on the employe's side and the highest officer on the railroad's side. Provision is also made for those employes who do not care to help pay for the benefits derived through this agreement. They have the privilege of securing the signatures of 100 unorganized employes to their petition. This it is probably impossible to do in any place in the United States. It would seem that they are "out of luck.")

Rules 36, 37 and 38.—Provide for the same method of settling other differences outside of dismissal or discipline.

Rule 39.—Provides for a letter stating cause of discipline and copy of proceedings at investigations and hearings.

Rules 40 and 41.—Provide that if after due investigation as provided above the accused is found innocent, all wages lost shall be paid and employe re-instated with all rights. If guilty suspension is the penalty.

Rule 42.—Provides committees with leave of absence and transportation to handle cases of employes.

Rule 43.—States that no discrimination will be made in the employment of union or non-union employes.

Rule 44.—States that work must keep on while question of grievances are pending.

Rule 45.—States the time limits enumerated above may be extended by mutual consent.

Rule 46.—Provides for not to exceed 90 days' leave of absence except account physical disability. An arbitrary refusal of a reasonable leave of absence if employe can be spared is subject to be handled as a grievance. If an employe fails to return at the end of the leave of absence he is considered out of service.

Rule 47.—States employes entered the military or naval service of the U. S. shall be considered on leave of absence.

Rule 48.—Provides that eight hours' work, exclusive of the meal period, constitutes a day's work.

Rule 49.—Provides for intermittent work.

Rule 50.—Provides hourly rated employe with three hours' pay if they report for work and are not used. If worked any time and they are then released eight hours' pay shall be paid. This is done to prevent the indiscriminate hiring of men.

Rule 51.—Provides for length of meal period.

Rule 52.—Provides for 20 minute meal period in eight hour continuous shifts.

Rule 53.—Provides for regular meal period between the ending of the fourth and the beginning of the seventh hour.

Rule 54.—Provides that if the regular meal period is worked, that it be paid for at time and one-half and 20 minutes be allowed with pay for meal.

Rule 55.—Provides that regular starting time shall not be changed without 36 hours advance notice.

Rule 56.—Provides that on three shift assignments no shift will have a starting time after 12 midnight or before 5 o'clock in the morning.

Rule 57.—Provides for overtime pay after eight hours.

Rule 58.—Provides for a minimum of three hours' pay if called upon to work.

Rule 59.—Provides for pay after eight hours if called upon to work after being released.

Rule 60.—Provides that if overtime was worked an employe will not be required to lay off to work up the overtime.

Rule 61.—Provides that no overtime be worked except through authority of supervising officials.

Rule 62.—States that overtime shall be entered as a separate item on the pay roll records.

Rule 63.—States that if overtime is claimed in writing and not allowed, employe shall be given the reason in writing.

Rule 64.—Provides for straight time when worked on Sundays and seven holidays, unless otherwise provided in the rules.

Rule 65.—Provides that if called Sundays or on the seven holidays and not worked eight hours, then the first two hours shall be paid at time and one-half.

Rule 66.—Places all monthly paid employes on a daily basis. In other words if a day is not worked, then the employe receives no pay. (Note—This rule is violated by the C. B. & Q. R. R. in a large number of cases at La Crosse).

Rule 67.—States that when possible an employe be given one day's rest in seven.

Rule 68.—Provides traveling expenses for employes when called on road service.

Rule 69.—Provides pay for traveling during regular hours of work and after 10 p. m. and before 6 p. m. at one-half time rate. (Not time and one-half).

Rule 70.—States that when appearing in court the railroad's regular rate of pay and expenses will be paid. Any fee or mileage accruing will be assigned to the railroad.

Rule 71.—States that positions and not employes will be rated.

Rule 72.—States that if temporarily or permanently assigned to higher rated position, the higher rate shall govern. If temporarily assigned to a lower rated position the higher rate shall be paid.

Rule 73.—Provides equal pay for men or women for the same class of employment.

Rule 74.—Provides for wages for new positions.

Rule 75.—Provides for the posting of notices.

Rule 76.—States what constitutes a "duly accredited representative."

Rule 77.—States that free transportation for household goods and family will be furnished if employe is transferred to another location.

Rule 78.—States that the same provision is made for employes transferring account of bidding on another position. This rule applies once a year.

Rule 79.—States free transportation of household goods limited to railroad on which employed.

Rule 80.—States that suitable employment will be given to employes who have become physically unable to continue in service in their present employment.

Rule 81.—States that typewriters and other office appliances will be furnished by the management if required in the work. (Maybe this rule is bankrupting the railroads).

Rule 82.—Provides premiums on bonds shall be paid by the railroads.

Rule 83.—States such transportation will be granted to employes and the dependent members of their families, as is granted other employes. The same rule relates to treatment of committees.

Rule 84.—Provides that established positions shall not be abolished, given a different title and then called a new position.

Rule 85.—States that the schedule shall be printed by the railroads.

Rules 86 and 87.—State that the rates of pay and rules in the agreement shall continue in effect during federal operation and cannot be changed until after thirty days' notice.

The Cummins-Esch transportation act becoming operative on or about March 1, 1920, this agreement is still in effect, operative through the established labor board, as the court of final appeal.

In closing it will be necessary to state that when the brotherhoods present their side of the case, beginning on March 10th, it is expected that the daily press will give the same publicity to us that was given the managements. With charges by the executives that the national agreements are the cause of the railroads going bankrupt, in spite of the high freight and passenger rates, and their choosing to put forth the names of 32 railroads which did not make expenses, nearly all notorious lame railroads financially due to high financiering of the past, does not at all fit in with the statement of the brotherhoods that the railroads of the U. S. have a surplus of $2,800,000,000.00. This includes the deficit of about $116,000,000.00 of the 32 railroads mentioned.

The charge that the "agreements" are bankrupting the railroads takes a turn to the ridiculous when the case of the A. B. & A. of Alabama is considered. It stands at the head of the list of 32 lame financial roads. Mr. Bugg, president or general manager of the A. B. & A. admits that his application to reduce wages is based on the inability of the road to make both ends meet. He admitted that the employes are very efficient, have loyally co-operated with the management to economize. The A. B. & A. being a short line, is compelled to haul connecting line freight at less than cost and on those grounds were denied the reduction and the case referred to the interstate commerce commission. Furthermore the transportation act provides for the consolidation of the weak roads with the strong. With the brotherhoods claiming that a dozen "Rockefeller-Morgan" banks in New York control about 90% of the railroads and through these same banks also control the sources of the materials used to operate the railroads, and that the railroads are being fleeced to the tune of hundreds of millions per year, will make interesting reading and will without doubt be a turning point in the future operation of the railroads.

It is further contended that with the national agreement broken the same crowd now doing overtime work in "open-shop" campaigning will get in the long looked for opportunity to go on the mat with the brotherhoods. With the present "up on edge" feeling of the powerful railroad brotherhoods, it will take no prophet of years of experience to predict as to whether the railroad men will sob like "Steel King Schwab" or will "Hell Maria" like "Banker Dawes."

In the meantime study the provisions of this national agreement and judge for yourself that, inasmuch as provision is made for the adjustment of all disputes from local office or warehouse to the labor board, if it is necessary to entirely abolish the largest arbitration board in the world.

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Two-acre truck and chicken farm, with good 5-room house, barn, chicken house; nicely located on paved road in city, near car line. A snap at $2,000.

Good grocery with fine living rooms in connection, on south side, doing a big business; stock and fixtures invoiced at net wholesale cost. All real estate including store, living rooms, garage, barn, etc., $4,500; on terms.

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STRANGER WHO OPENS BATHING SEASON IS SENT TO MENDOTA

Frank Barlosh of Chicago, who opened the 1921 bathing season in La Crosse last Wednesday, by standing at the water's edge in Riverside park and sprinkling his head and shoulders with water dipped from the river in his hat, has been taken to the state hospital at Mendota. Judge Brindley appointed Doctors Rosholt and Bowles to examine the man and they reported that he was mentally unbalanced and the court ordered him removed to the state hospital.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed

Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 98-lb. cotton sacks	$10.85
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 49-lb. cotton sacks	11.10
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 24½-lb. cotton sacks	11.40
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 24½-lb. paper sacks	11.05
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 12½-paper sacks	11.20
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 6-lb. paper sacks	11.95
Wheat Bran, per ton, in 100-lb. sacks	31.00
Wheat Shorts, per ton, in 100-lb. sacks	31.00
Red Dog, per ton, in 100-lb. sacks	41.00

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Commission Co.)

Fresh eggs	31c
Creamery butter	50c
Dairy butter	40c

Fruit

Apples, Baldwins, bu.	$2.00
Apples, Ben Davis, bu	2.00
Apples, Northern Spy, bu.	2.00
Apples, Baldwins, barrel	6.00
Apples, Wine Saps, box	4.00
Apples, Rome Beauty, per box	3.00
Cider, clarified, half bbl.	7.00
Cider, pure juice	6.50
Lemons, "Sunkist," box	5.00
Lemons, choice	4.50
Oranges, Sunkist	5.00 6.00
Oranges, Independents	3.25 5.00
Bananas, per lb.	9c
Begas, per bd.	2.25
Celery, per dozen	1.50, 1.25
Oysters, Standards, gal.	2.00
Peanuts, roasted, per lb.	10c
Grape Fruit, size 30, box	5.50
Grape Fruit, size 46, box	5.50
Grape Fruit, size 54, box	5.50
Grape Fruit, sizes 64, 70, 80	5.50
Red Onions, per bd.	1.50
Parsnips, per bd.	2.75
Carros, per bd.	2.75
Beets, per d.	2.75
Cabbage, per bd.	2.50
Red Onion Sets, bu.	1.25
Yellow Onion Sets, bu.	1.25
White Onion Sets, bu.	1.50

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Cows	$2.00 to $5.00
Heifers	$4.00 to $5.50
Steers	$5.00 to $6.50
Lambs	$6.00 to $8.00
Sheep	$2.00 to $4.00
Hogs	$7.50 to $9.00

(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Brick cheese	23-25c
Twin cheese	26-28c

The Journal of American Medical Association reports the case of a young woman who had a surgical gauze sponge in her abdomen for 14 years. She had been operated on for appendicitis in girlhood.

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About 8 miles from La Crosse; all plow land; buildings include 10-room house, barn holds 25 head stock and eight horses, and other buildings, windmill and silo; three miles to creamery, on main road; and 32 acres wood land about one mile away goes with this place. 10 milch cows, 3 heifers, 4 horses, colt, 3 brood sows, chickens, all machinery, all goes for $15,000. Will make good terms. Trade in small house in town as part payment.

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Seven miles from La Crosse on main paved road; about 4¾ acres; two acres gently rolling work land, best of clay soil, balance timbered pasture; fruit and nut trees and berries; good 5-room house; barn, chicken coop; store building with stock and fixtures; windmill with water piped into house and yard; ice house (with ice up for summer). Here is a chance for one who will act quick. Price $4,000. Call and let me tell you about this. It's your chance.

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WIFE OF FAMOUS CELLIST ENDS LIFE IN LAKE MICHIGAN

Body of Mrs. Bruno Steindel Discovered by Woman on Sunday Morning

MIND UNBALANCED BY GRIEF OVER DAUGHTER'S ILLNESS

Left Note Saying She Preferred "Death to Asylum"

CHICAGO.—Mrs. Martha Steindel wife of Bruno Steindel, former cellist of the Chicago Symphony orchestra, who resigned in 1918 after being accused of pro-German activities, committed suicide Saturday night by leaping into Lake Michigan, from the foot of Farwell avenue. Mrs. Steindel was an accomplished musician and had acted as accompanist for her husband.

The police found Mrs. Steindel's automobile Sunday morning with lights still ablaze. Her expensive fur coat, which she had cast off before jumping into the lake, lay on the pier. The body was recovered after a search.

A short note, written on a piece of brown wrapping paper, was found in the tonneau of the car.

"Prefers Death to Asylum"

"I am going to end it all—they have been unkind to me—I prefer death to an asylum," the note read.

Members of the family said Mrs. Steindel had acted "queer" since her husband resigned from the orchestra. The recent illness of Mrs. Steindel's 13-year-old daughter, Eleanor, had also caused her great mental suffering.

The girl has been sick for more than a year and at one time physicians despaired of her life. Recently she has improved and is expected to recover.

Woman Discovers Body

The body was discovered by Mrs. Sigmund Seiler, 1062 Pratt boulevard.

A year ago Mrs. Steindel, who was 48 years old, was placed in a sanitarium in Milwaukee. After she had dropped many notes from the sanitarium's windows begging her relatives to take her from the place she was returned home. For a time her condition improved, and she was declared to be well.

TWO TREMPEALEAU WOMEN ARE DEAD

TREMPEALEAU, Wis.—Mrs. Engel Hauken Kirch, aged resident, died February 25 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George White. Funeral services were held Saturday from the M. E. church. Interment was made at Centerville. Mrs. Kirch was a native of Germany, born in 1832. She came to this country at the age of 18. She was married to F. Kirch and was a resident of Galena, Ill., for a few years, when they settled on a homestead in Trempealeau. Eight children were born to them. The surviving children are Mrs. George White of Trempealeau, Mrs. John Tye of San Diego, Calif., George and Henry Kirch of Winona, Edward Kirch of Frazee, Minn., and Frank Kirch of Galesville.

Mrs. Stella Courtorus Stanton died March 2nd, 1921, at her home in Trempealeau. Mrs. Stanton was born in Richwood, Missouri, January 28, 1893. She was married August 10, 1910, to Carl Stanton. They lived at Holmen a year, also in Caledonia. The past two years they made their home in Trempealeau. Mrs. Stanton leaves to mourn her loss two small children, husband, two brothers and one sister. The funeral will be at the house at nine o'clock and 9:30 at the Catholic church. Burial in the Trempealeau cemetery.

TOO LONG A SWIM

An American tourist in Scotland took a great fancy to a handsome collie he saw and offered to buy it. The owner asked some questions and on learning that it was the would-be purchaser's intention to take "Jock" to America, he refused to part with the dog.

Just then an English tourist came along and he also made a bid for the collie which, though less than the first offer, was finally accepted. The American was annoyed and when the Englishman had departed he said, "You told me you wouldn't sell your dog."

"Na, na," replied the canny Scot. "I said I couldna part wi' him. Jock'll be back in day or two, never fear. But he couldna swim the Atlantic."—Boston Transcript.

BEES TAP THE RUBBER TREE

When Para rubber trees are tapped, after the gum has run into receptacles and stiffened, a species of large black antsuccu stomed to cut cut pieces of the rubber and carry them away. Bees also find use for India rubber, and some species in South America actually cut the bark of the trees that produce resinous substances in order to cause a flow of the sap. The gum is employed by the bees as a redy-made wax for their nests.

Paper May Be Made from Bamboo

Efforts are being made to grow bamboo in this country and considerable success has attended the attempts in some of the southern states. This wood has many uses and it is said to be particularly suited for paper-making. It makes an excellent grade of paper and has the advantage that it renews itself every year so that the land yields a constant crop.

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SPARTA ENTERTAINS DELEGATES TO STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET

Country Club Elects Officers; Kiwanis Club Guest at Jefferson Tobacco Warehouse

SPARTA, Wis.—The big state convention of Sunday school workers held in Sparta the past week, was pronounced a great success, by every one privileged to attend its meetings. Between two and three hundred visitors were in the city and the meetings were largely attended.

Divisional conferences were held in the morning, under splendid leaders. About 72 addresses were made by men and women who are leaders in county, state, national and international religious training.

Paul O. Austin of Sparta presided at the opening meeting, and Mayor Robert B. McCoy gave the address of welcome and turned over the keys of the city to the visitors. Probably the outstanding speaker of the convention was Dr. William E. Chalmers, D. D. of Philadelphia, who has recently returned home from the world's Sunday school convention held in Tokio, Japan.

Child's Rights Urged

Miss Minnie E. Kennedy of Tennessee, secretary of the religious education of the Methodist Episcopal church south, gave a stirring address on the "Rights of the Child." She said: "Most children get a good start in life, but ignorance hurts them. The factors in the religious training of a child are home, church, church school, prayer, worship and friends."

Preston G. Orwig of the International Sunday School association, and John Alexander of the International Sunday School association were well received by their hearers.

Judge R. A. Richards and his Kiwanis club were the reception committee and gave the guests such a welcome and reception, as they never received in any other place.

Country Club Election

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Country club was held in the offices of the Jefferson Leaf Tobacco company, at which time all the directors were re-elected.

A meeting of the directors followed, at which time H. S. McGiffin was elected president, T. P. Abel vice president and L. W. Persons secretary-treasurer. The annual meeting of the members of the club will be held in the same place, Thursday, March 10, at which time the present committees will report, and plans for the work of the coming season will be made. All members are urged to be present.

The Jeffersons held open house at their warehouse for the Kiwanis club last week, and lunch was served by Mr. Harrison in the dining room of the plant. The principal speaker was Thomas Delaney, federal prohibition enforcement officer for Wisconsin. Mr. Delaney explained the provisions of the Volstead act.

Emery Jones introduced the members of the club, and they introduced their guests. George Herbst drew a purse, one of the booster prizes; Sid Smith received a purse, and four other lucky ones drew art calendars. H. W. Jefferson donated all the booster prizes.

This week the club will meet at the Sidney hotel, Wednesday, at 7:30 o'clock. Clarence B. Greene of Dayton, Ohio, will speak and will tell of the city manager plan. Mr. Greene is editor of the Dayton Evening Journal.

Each member is asked to bring a guest.

DEFECTS NEVER LONG HIDDEN

It takes but little fallen fruit to discount the value of the whole barrel. Purchasers are always looking for evidence of fallen fruit so they can have argument for lowering the price. Wise dealers see to it that no fallen fruit is found in their products. Unscrupulous people take delight in putting all the fallen stuff they can among the good. It may work for a time. Some of the fallen may even be so much like the picked fruit that you can't tell the difference at first. But in the end the fallen stuff will be its own advertisement. It's the same with people. Discounted characters try to mingle with the best folks because they hope to be rated among the best. And it often works for a time, but in the end there is sure to be revelations that show the picked and the fallen product.—Exchange.

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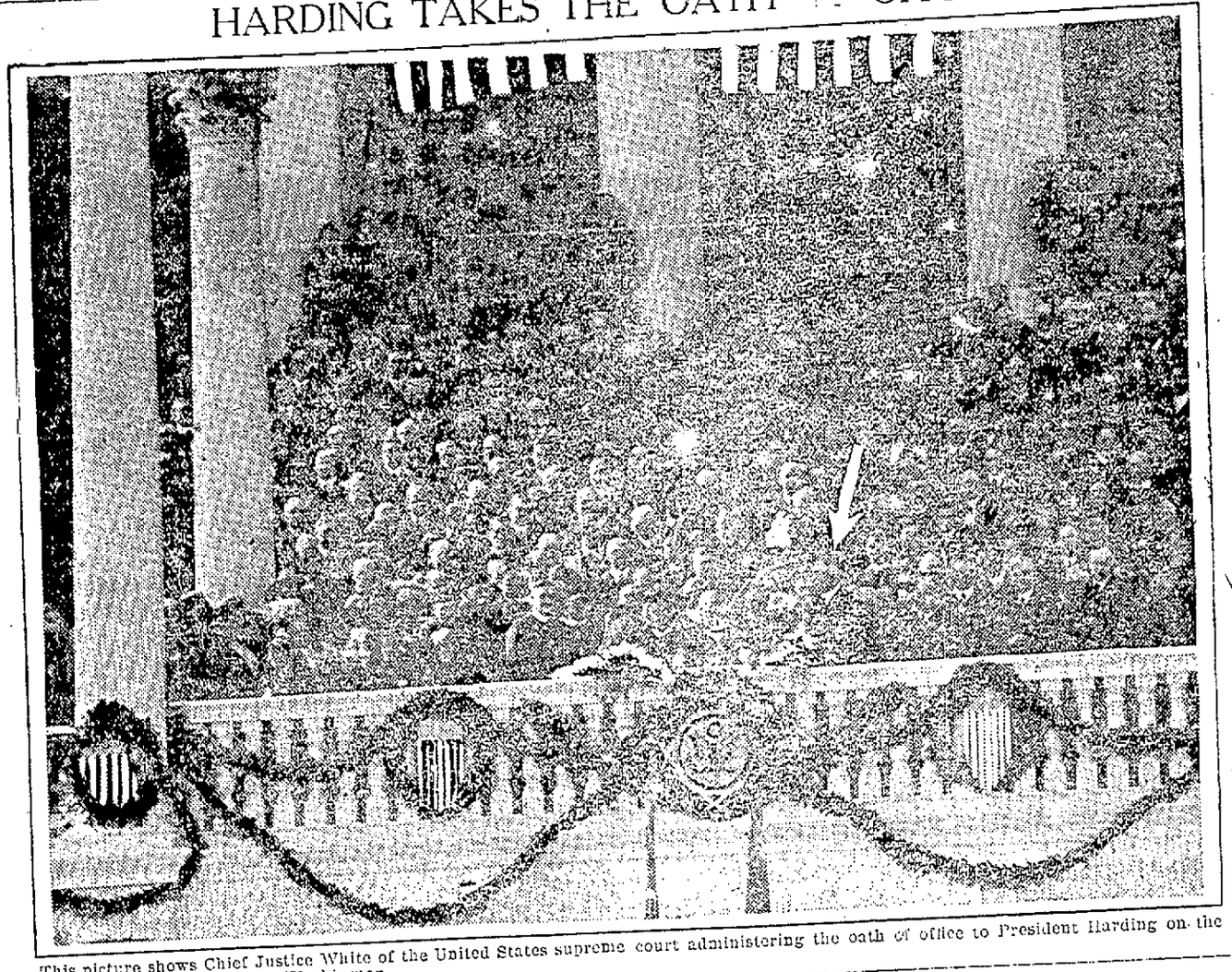
HARDING TAKES THE OATH OF OFFICE



This picture shows Chief Justice White of the United States supreme court administering the oath of office to President Harding on the stand especially erected at the capitol in Washington.

Uncle Sam M.D.

INFORMATION EDITOR, WASHINGTON, D. C. "Uncle Sam, M. D.," will answer questions of general interest relating to hygiene, or disease. Address: U. S. Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.

The symptoms of eye-strain may be entirely local, such as fading vision, eye pains, inflamed lids, watering, etc.

They may be reflex in character, appearing as distant pains or disturbances of certain organs.

They may be psychic and make the child appear stupid, when the real trouble is that he cannot see comfortably.

Slobbering and Bed-Wetting

My little son, 3 years and 7 months old, slobbers constantly night and day and wets the bed, although I take him up during the night.

At his age (as I presume he has finished cutting his temporary teeth) his condition is most apt to be caused by an inflammation affecting the lining of the mouth, some form of nervous or mental defect, or paralysis.

With reference to the bed-wetting, you should have the boy examined by a physician to learn whether there is any disease or local condition that might cause the trouble.

Begin his training during the day by taking him to the toilet every hour (or two or three as the case may be), and gradually increase this interval until he can hold the urine several hours. Follow the same method at night.

After an Operation

Would you please tell me what is the cause of one having menstruation after having both ovaries entirely removed; and if there is a cure for same?

If the bleeding you mention is normal menstruation, the natural inference is that a small particle of one ovary must have been left after the operation, or that you have an accessory ovary.

A very small portion of ovary is sufficient for menstruation, and this does occur at times after the supposed removal of both ovaries by competent operators.

However, the bleeding may not be normal menstruation, but hemorrhage, due to some diseased condition of the womb. I should advise you to have a thorough medical examination.

Stammerers

Would you approve the marriage of two stammerers who have partially overcome their affliction?

If they are temperamentally adapted in spite of this speech defect, there would seem to be no reason, as far as they are concerned, why they should not marry. It is possible that children born of this union would also have a speech defect. There is a tendency on the part of children to imitate the mode of speech of those about them.

However, in many cities there are clinics and classes for the correction of defective speech.

A Pipe Line Across the Continent

If the water and gas mains which underlie the streets of New York city were placed end to end they would form a continuous pipe line sufficiently long to reach from the Atlanta to the Pacific coast.

A diamond mine gets better with depth.

AIR MAIL DELIVERS INAUGURAL PHOTOS IN A RECORD DASH

La Crosse Division Helps Bring Pictures from Washington to Minneapolis in 24 Hours

It took only 24 hours, 35 minutes, for pictures of the inauguration of President Harding in Washington to reach Minneapolis and arrive in time for publication in the Sunday newspapers. The last burst of speed necessary to land the photographs in Minneapolis on time was due to the Chicago-La Crosse-Twin city air mail pilot, H. C. Thompson, and the employes of air mail service at Salzer field here.

The pictures were taken in Washington at 1 p. m. Friday. At 3:10 a special messenger left Washington aboard the Broadway Limited on the Pennsylvania road with them, arriving in Chicago at 9:55 a. m. Saturday, after the last train that could reach Minneapolis before daybreak Sunday had left. A fast auto rushed the photos many miles to the government starting field at Maywood, where the air mail plane was waiting for them.

The photographs were delivered to Pilot H. C. Thompson at 11 a. m. and he was away in a jiffy. Thompson sailed from Chicago to La Crosse at top speed. He arrived at Salzer field at 2:05 p. m. Saturday. Manager Herbert Carlson of the Salzer field had his assistants on their toes and Thompson hopped off at 2:20 p. m., stopping here only 15 minutes. A thunderstorm was playing havoc with the heavens at the time but it didn't bother Thompson, who sailed through the storm and landed on the Speedway field, Minneapolis, at 3:45 p. m., with his helmet coated with two inches of ice. Thompson is holder of the record for the Chicago-Minneapolis flight, having negotiated the distance in two hours, 33 minutes.

Publicity Keeps Down Forest Fires

Newspaper publicity helped to cause a decrease in forest fires in Idaho, Wyoming and Utah the past season, according to a dispatch from Ogden, Utah, quoting L. F. Kneipp, assistant forester, who admits that this fact is an evidence of the efficiency of the press. Up to September 19, 1920, the cost of fighting fires in the forests in the fourth district of Utah amounted to $29,000 or 10 per cent less than last year.

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HARDINGS NOT AT CHURCH; SIGHTSEERS ARE DISAPPOINTED

President and Mrs. Harding Spend Sunday Quietly in the White House

WASHINGTON, D. C.—With no conferences with any members of the new administration President Harding spent his first Sunday in the White House quietly.

Neither the president nor Mrs. Harding attended church Sunday morning, much to the disappointment of crowds outside Cavalry and First, the two largest Baptist churches in Washington.

With Senators Hale and Frelinghuysen, the president motored to Grasslands Country club, just over the district line in Maryland, for breakfast. Mr. Harding has scruples against Sunday golf and he returned to the White House while players were arriving at the links. But the president, whose last golf match was in Florida, is determined to find time this week for a foursome.

Returning from Grasslands the president spent some time at the executive offices going over his mail before luncheon and in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Harding saw a few belated Marion callers and then went for an hour's automobile ride, trailed by a secret service machine. There were no luncheon and dinner guests other than members of the family.

Crowds Thongs Grounds

Fair weather and Sunday brought out large crowds to take advantage of the opening of the White house grounds.

All day long there were groups of people around the north portico staring at White house visitors and straining their necks to peer in the windows.

Not only were White House paths thronged with pedestrians, but it seemed as though every automobile along that end of Pennsylvania avenue turned in at the north gates and passed under the north portico.

The vice president and Mrs. Coolidge Sunday morning attended the First Congregational church, the pastor, Dr. Pierce, being their former pastor in Dorchester, Mass.

More than one-third of the textile workers of the United States are unemployed.

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64933	Mefistofele—Dai campi, dai prati (From the Green Fields)	Beniamino Gigli
74660	(a) Berceuse (Pan) Jocelyn (b) Valse du Ballet Raymonde	Jascha Heifetz
88627	Samson et Dalila—Printemps qui commence (Delilah's Song of Spring)	Mme. Homer
64930	Lassie o' Mine	Edward Johnson
64932	Nina Violoncello	Hans Kindler
64926	(a) The Next Market Day (b) A Ballynure Ballad	John McCormack
74668	Symphony in E Flat Major—Menuetto (3rd Movement) (Mozart)	Arturo Toscanini and La Scala Orchestra
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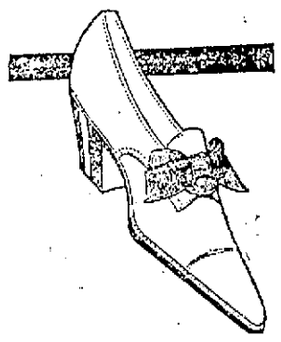

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